

PRINCE OF WALES TO BE ENTERTAINED AT WHITE HOUSE

To Be Guest at Private Luncheon and Later Informal Reception.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, Aug. 11.—One of the highest compliments in diplomatic usage—a strictly private luncheon with the executive family—is planned for the Prince of Wales upon his arrival in the United States for the international polo matches next month at Meadowbrook, says the Washington Post today, adding that it understands the royal visitor will reach New York August 30.

The prince's call at the White House was decided upon, the Post relates, after King George had vetoed a proposal that he come to the United States Incognito, as Lord Renfrew. The king held that international courtesy required use of the prince's highest title on a visit to the United States, even though it might be only a pleasure trip and this necessitated arrangements for him to pay his respects formally to the President.

Return of Compliment
The privacy of the luncheon, one of the few functions of its kind in American history, is attributed not only to the mourning of the executive family for Calvin Coolidge, Jr., but to a desire to return similar courtesies extended by the king and queen recently to Secretary and Mrs. Hughes and to Secretary Mellon and his daughter. Afterwards, says the Post, members of the cabinet and their wives may be invited to the White House in a strictly informal manner, to welcome the prince.

The prince will be met at New York, the Post says, by the British ambassador, J. Butler Wright, third assistant secretary of state, in a semi-official capacity, and Major O. N. Solbert, the President's junior aide and former military attaché at the American embassy in London, as the personal and unofficial representative of President Coolidge. The executive has also detailed Major Solbert to act as personal aide to the prince during his stay in the United States.

The royal visitor will occupy the house of J. A. Burden at Syosset, Long Island, during the polo matches, with Rogers Winthrop acting as host in the absence of Mr. and Mrs. Burden who are in Europe. After the matches, which are scheduled to end September 14, the prince is expected to leave immediately for his ranch in Manitoba.

Workman Killed Under Train in Sterling Yards

Sterling, R. E. Therman of St. Louis, known here as Henry McFarland, aged about 38 years, died at the Sterling public hospital Friday evening about 6 o'clock, from injuries received at 4:14 p. m., that afternoon when he was thrown beside an oil train in front of the Northwestern passenger depot, in an attempt to "hop on" the slow moving train.

Little is known of his past. He claimed to be an ex-convict. His personal effects will be looked over by Constable C. M. Frye or Chief J. G. Hazlock, in an effort to learn more about him or his family.

Tremaine came here from Marshalltown, Iowa, with Chas. O'Farrell, and they went to work for the Duffy Construction company, the two men being the first out-of-town men to apply for work. Both had worked for the company in other cities. Tremaine was a carpenter by trade. After working a short time for the Duffy Construction company he quit and began work for the Northwestern railroad, and was working on the new freight house job.

Resume Operations Today on New I. N. U. Power Plant

Operations were resumed at the site of the new I. N. U. hydro plant this morning and with a slowly lowering stage of water in Rock river, there was evidence of but short delay. No damage was experienced and the flooding of the works and the starting of the pumps which worked throughout the night in pumping the seepage and overflow from the excavations. The water level had been sufficiently reduced this morning to permit the resumption of operations and the work of removing rock was resumed.

The coffer dam east of the old mill race was still covered with water this morning, but assuming that the river will continue to fall, it was expected that all work would be under way by the middle of the week. The river began dropping Saturday night and continued to a lower level throughout today and this morning.

Coolidge Amazed at Hint That He Interfere in Race

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, Aug. 11.—Replying to a letter of protest against the candidacy of a negro in New York state for congress, President Coolidge today expressed "amazement" at the suggestion that he intervene, and reaffirmed his intention of administering the constitution, which he pointed out "guarantees equal rights to all citizens without discrimination on account of race or color."

Gubernatorial Candidate Gored to Death by Bull

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Sioux Falls, S. D., Aug. 11.—A. S. Anderson, democratic nominee for governor of South Dakota, was gored to death early today at his farm near Renfrew, S. D., 30 miles south of Sioux Falls, in Clay County.

Dixon Boy is Assigned to Duty on Mayflower the Presidential Yacht

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cramer have received word of an unusual honor which has befallen their son, George, in that he is the youngest U. S. Marine ever to have been assigned to duty on the presidential yacht, Mayflower, and that after only a little over two months training. He is only 19 years old and his training consisted of two months work at Terrace Island and but one day at Norfolk. On the marksmanship test he passed with an average of 393, 38 points more than the grade required, 360.

NEW SCHEME IN AUTO THEFTS IS WORKED IN DIXON

Stranger Gets Garage Man to Help Him Get Away with Coupe.

A new method of stealing automobiles, which proved very successful, was tried out in Dixon Sunday evening between 7 and 8 o'clock when a roughly dressed individual went to a garage and displayed a bent and twisted switch key, stating that something appeared to be wrong with the switch in his car and that the key would not work. The garage employe being unable to replace the key explained to the stranger how the wiring could be changed so that the car could be started and run and assisted in making the change. The stranger was very thankful and after the changes had been made drove the car away.

About an hour later G. N. Dorling of Ashton reported the theft of a new Ford coupe which he had left parked in the business section and the police on investigating learned of the above clever plan. Mr. Dorling had parked his car while attending the first show. The license numbers carried on the car were 585,179 and the engine number was 8,652,275. The stranger was described as wearing no hat or coat, a blue work shirt and khaki trousers. He was dark, possibly 20 years of age and weighed about 130 pounds. Several surrounding cities were notified and asked to keep on the lookout for the car but at noon today no trace of it had been found.

Lutheran Pastors to Hold Conference Here

The pastors of the Southern District of the Iowa Synod and other states will hold their annual conference at the Immanuel Lutheran church, corner Sixth and Highland, Tuesday and Wednesday.

The officers are: Prof. M. W. Wederanders, President, Clinton, Iowa; Rev. A. Weninger, Forest Park, Ill., Vice President; Rev. F. Voelker, Greene, Iowa, Treasurer; Rev. W. Burdall, Compton, Ill., Secretary.

A service in the English language will be conducted Tuesday evening at 7:30. The pastors will celebrate holy communion at this service. A cordial invitation is extended to the congregation and friends to attend. Rev. A. Weninger of Forest Park, Ill., will deliver the sermon.

Walton's Opponent to File Appeal in Court

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Tulsa, Okla., Aug. 11.—Congressman E. B. Howard, apparently defeated for the democratic senatorial nomination by former Governor J. C. Walton in Tuesday's primary announced today that he would immediately file a petition for a recount with the state supreme court.

Boys Died from Burns He Received Under an Auto

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Paris, Ill., Aug. 11.—Edward Sedwberry, 15, died at a hospital here today, from burns received Sunday, when he crawled under an automobile to repair a leaking tank. His clothes, soaked in gasoline, were ignited when one of his arms came in contact with the exhaust pipe.

THE WEATHER

A FRIEND INDEED IS THE ONE WHO TAKES CARE OF YOUR DOG WHILE YOU'RE ON A VACATION!



MONDAY, AUG. 11, 1924.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Illinois—Fair tonight and Tuesday except showers in extreme south portion tonight; cooler tonight.

Chicago and vicinity—Fair tonight and Tuesday; cooler tonight, moderate variable winds.

Wisconsin—Fair tonight and Tuesday; cooler in extreme southeast portion tonight.

Iowa—Fair tonight and probably Tuesday; not much change in temperature.

KLANTAUQUA TO BE GIVEN HERE ON THREE DAYS

Public Invited to All Programs to Be Given at Assembly.

The first annual Klantauqua given by the Dixon chapter of the Ku Klux Klan will open at the Assembly park tomorrow afternoon and continue for three days, afternoons and evenings of Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. An exceptionally fine list of attractions has been booked for the three day meeting, with speakers from the national bureau who are foremost in the country. Three feature entertainments have been booked for each of the days, opening with the Rice Bidwell concert company on Tuesday, the Frasers on Wednesday and the famous Gypsy Serenaders on Thursday.

Interspersed with these features have been added soloists and readers to appear as special numbers during the three days. Miss Christina Jones, violinist and reader; Miss Margaret McOscar, reader; Miss Esther Coleman, soloist and reader and Neomi Considine, famous cornetist, will appear as the special feature numbers. On the list of speakers for the Klantauqua are Adna M. Hagler, official speaker and Rosa T. McGhee, mother in Klankraft, who will appear with Hon. J. W. Gorrell, Dr. William Matthews Holderby, who served six years in the Ohio state legislature, and Dr. C. C. Crawford, editor and orator of national reputation. The program for the three days is as follows:

Tuesday Afternoon, 2:30
Community singing led by platform manager.

Entertainment—Bidwell Rice Concert Company.

Lecture—Dr. William Matthews Holderby.

The same program will be repeated in the evening starting promptly at 7:30.

Wednesday Afternoon, 2:30
Community singing led by platform manager.

Entertainment—The Frasers, Harold and Florence Frazer, one of the famous chautauqua companies of the country.

Address—Adna M. Hagler, official speaker.

The program in the evening will be the same with the exception that the lecture will be delivered by Hon. J. W. Gorrell.

Thursday Afternoon, 2:30
Community singing led by platform manager.

Entertainment—Gypsy Serenaders introducing musical novelties.

Lecture—Rosa T. McGhee, Mother in Klankraft.

The evening program will be the same with the exception that Dr. C. C. Crawford will deliver the address.

The committee in charge of the program have taken considerable pains in securing only the highest class of entertainment and each afternoon and evening for the three day period, the public in general is invited to attend the lectures and entertainment.

Miss Cummings Five Up at End of First Round

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, Aug. 11.—Edith Cummings of Chicago, national champion, was five up on Miria McBurns of Kansas City at the end of the first 18 holes of the final rounds in the women's western golf championship at Onwentsia, today.

Miss Burns, in defending her title, did not display the fine golf she shot Saturday in the semi-finals, while Miss Cummings made a new low score of 81 for the tournament thus far. The national champion went out in 33 with five birdies on her card and was four up at the turn.

Miss Burns did not play poorly by any means, shooting one under par on the first nine and being two under perfect figures on the second half for the eight holes which she finished. She got in a creek on the 14th, however, and after taking two to get out of the clay bank and being short in five, picked up.

Contribute to Fund to Elect Bob and Get Medal

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, Aug. 11.—Thousands of bronze medals are to be struck off for distribution among contributors to the La Follette-Wheeler campaign fund.

A model has been made by Gutzon Borglum, the sculptor, a lifelong friend of Senator La Follette. The medals, about the size of a quarter, will be ready for distribution in a week or ten days.

The medal shows a profile of La Follette, superimposed on one of Senator Wheeler of Montana, his running mate.

Nice Promotion is Given Dorman Anderson of Dixon

Attorney Dorman Anderson of Chicago, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Anderson of this city, has returned to Chicago and leaves that city Tuesday morning for New York, where he has accepted the position as assistant to General Attorney A. M. Burdall of the National Surety Co.

Attorney Anderson has been affiliated with the National Surety Co. of Chicago, and the promotion is a distinct honor. Dixon friends join in congratulations.

Labor Federation Picks Month for "Union Label"

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Atlantic City, N. J., Aug. 11.—Jurisdictional controversies had chief position today on the program of the executive council of the American Federation of Labor. The meeting is expected to last three or four days more.

The council has designated the month beginning Aug. 25 as "union label month." Efforts of 30,000 local unions will be directed toward promoting the purchase of goods bearing trade union labels.

PATRICIDE IS NAMED IN WILL OF DR. DURIN

Named to Share in \$194,000 Estate of Man He Killed.

The will of the late Dr. James M. Durin, who was shot and killed by his oldest son, Gilbert Ethan Durin at the family residence in Steward on Sunday evening, July 6, was admitted to probate in the county court this morning. Attorney John E. Erwin of this city appeared, the will having been drawn November 7, 1923. The petition sets forth real estate valued at \$194,000 and personal property of the value of \$12,000. Heirs named in the will are the wife, Mrs. Margaret Durin, who is named executrix, three sons, Gilbert E., Donald A. Robert J., and one daughter, Miss Margaret Allen.

SOCIABILITY RUN TO AMBOY THURS. PLAN OF C. OF C.

Forty Cars Wanted for Trip to Fair; to Show Good Will.

The Dixon Chamber of Commerce is planning a sociability run to the Lee County Fair Thursday, details of which are given as follows in a bulletin issued from the office of the Chamber this morning:

The committee in charge of the activities for the month of August, have planned a Sociability Run to the Amboy Fair Thursday, provided that we can have at least 40 automobile loads to go down and into the fair grounds in a body. The committee wants to make a real showing to show the people of Lee county that we are willing to meet them on their own ground, that we are friendly folks and not mercenary, as some have termed the business men of Dixon. If we can't have the support of the men on an occasion of this kind, we do not wish to attempt it at all. More real good can be accomplished by letting the people of Lee county know that we are not hostile to them, but by some other means that have been tried and failed. If you will take your car and go to Amboy next Thursday, notify the committee at once and we will let you know by Tuesday night, if such a run will be possible. If you are a real Dixon booster let's go to Amboy. It will be impossible for the secretary or the committee to see everyone, so phone the office as to your decision.

The prizes will be awarded to any one attending the picnic, whether they be farmers or townspeople. Should someone win a carload of limestone who is unable to make use of it, the Dixon Chamber will assist in disposing of it at the regular price. Thus it may be seen that the picnic is to be of interest to every citizen in the county, whether a farmer or urban dweller.

The companies offering a carload of limestone each are, the Lehigh Stone Co., Dolase Bros. Company, Dolase & Sheppard Co., and the Consumers Co.

Free Coffee at Noon

The picnic committee has arranged for the furnishing of free coffee at noon. It being only required that picnickers bring their own containers.

Word has been sent to each school district in the county that if possible, school be not opened until Tuesday, September 2. It has been learned by the picnic committee that more than half of the schools do not begin until September 2, anyway, and it is hoped that the directors and teachers of the other districts who had planned to open on the first will postpone the opening day until September 2. It is hoped that no other picnic or conflicting engagements will be made for Monday, September 1, as all in the county should plan to attend the big farmers' and townspeople's picnic at Amboy on Labor Day.

Several Sunday Trains in C. & N. W. Taken Off

Under the provisions of a new time card, which went into effect on the Chicago & NorthWestern Railway Sunday, three trains which have been running daily, will not run on Sunday hereafter, while a new west-bound train to run Sundays only will be added. The new Sunday train will leave Chicago at 4:04 p. m. each Sunday, arriving in Dixon at 7:55 p. m. The trains which will be discontinued on Sunday are: No. 15, leaving Chicago at 6:30 a. m. and arriving in Dixon at 10:08 a. m.; No. 23, leaving Chicago at 5:01 p. m. and arriving in Dixon at 8:07 p. m.; and No. 24, east-bound, leaving Dixon at 6:52 a. m. and arriving in Chicago at 10:10 a. m.

Bank Robbery this Noon at Madison Netted \$7,500

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Madison, Ill., Aug. 11.—Five bandits held up the Tri City State Bank here during the noon hour today and escaped in a motor car with approximately \$7,500. As the robbers fled they were fired upon by officials of the bank. Police said the burglar alarm frightened the men away before they had finished looting the institution.

Peoria & Pekin Railway Wants to Issue Mortgage

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, Aug. 11.—The Peoria & Pekin Union Railway Company today asked the Interstate Commerce Commission for authority to issue \$2,200,000 of first mortgage 5½ percent gold bonds to retire a loan from the government of \$1,797,000 to meet other obligations and to pay for improvements.

Well-Known Citizen of Sycamore Died Yesterday

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Sycamore, Ill., Aug. 11.—J. M. Dayton, retired farmer and banker, for eighty-five years a resident of this vicinity, died at his home here Sunday. He was one of the most prominent men of this country. He was born in 1829 and always lived here.

Bite of Enormous Rat May Prove Fatal to 3-Year-Old Peoria Child

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Peoria, Ill., Aug. 11.—The bite of a huge gray rat which attacked a sleeping child in his crib may cost the life of Billy Young, three years old of Big Hollow, near here. The bite severed an artery at the end of the little finger and when the parents were awakened by screams the baby was slowly bleeding to death. The rat which had entered the house through an open door was trapped by blood stains. Trapped behind a davenport, the rat was killed with a club after a fight in which he struggled viciously to bite his attackers. He was declared to be the longest rat seen near here in years. In color he was dull gray and in size as large as a malted cat.

LIMESTONE TO BE GIVEN AWAY AT CO. FARMERS' PICNIC

Presents from Makers to Be Distributed Free at Picnic, Sept. 1.

Some special announcements have been made by the picnic committee as special features for the big Farmers' Picnic to be held at Amboy on Monday, September 1. Among these special features will be the awarding of four carloads of limestone to the fortunate holder of numbers which will be distributed at the gate or to those registering picnic day. Four of the biggest limestone companies of the Peoria country will assist in furnishing limestone farmers their limestone have graciously offered a carload of limestone as a prize to be awarded picnic day. Each carload will be furnished by a quarry, the winner to pay freight charges only. This means at least a \$20.00 premium to the holder of each of the lucky numbers.

The prizes will be awarded to any one attending the picnic, whether they be farmers or townspeople. Should someone win a carload of limestone who is unable to make use of it, the Peoria country will assist in disposing of it at the regular price. Thus it may be seen that the picnic is to be of interest to every citizen in the county, whether a farmer or urban dweller.

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Messages of sympathy from eminent personages all over the world have been pouring in on the family all day and from all walks of life, and employees have paid homage at the bier.

Prisoner Refuses Bail

After the date of the hearing had been agreed upon, Judge Carpenter set the bond of the prisoner at \$1,000 and asked Marshall if he had a bondsman.

"I think I could get one," was the reply, "but your honor, I do not care to bother with it. I am ready to fight this charge alone."

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"I never intended to leave my wife and child without support. It was my intention to send them money after I had secured a position."

The prisoner then calmly turned and followed an officer to his cell.

New Equipment Here for Pumphrey's Steam Laundry

Harry Pumphrey of the City Steam Laundry announced today that his place of business would be closed for several days to permit the installation of a new boiler as well as considerable new equipment which was announced several days ago. No laundry will be received after Tuesday, tomorrow, the place of business closing down Wednesday evening to permit the repairs and installation of new and modern equipment.

DENSE FOGS, ICE HAMPER SEARCH TO FIND LANDING SPOT

But All Are Determined World Flight of U. S. Aviators Continue.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Reykjavik, Iceland, Aug. 11.—The U. S. Cruiser Raleigh, exploring the east coast of Greenland in search of a landing place for the American round the world fliers, today reported to Rear Admiral Thomas P. Magruder that she was in a dense fog 90 miles east-southeast of Angmagalik and that she had encountered many floating ice hummocks.

While the vessel was attempting to gain the sea clear of ice, a hummock touched it, slightly damaging the starboard forward propeller, according to the report to the admiral. In a statement this morning Admiral Magruder said it was doubtful if Angmagalik could be used as a base by the scout planes which are being carried by the cruisers Raleigh and Richmond to explore the coast.

May Clear Ice Pack
A plan had been considered whereby these planes would carry fuel for the round the world planes over the Angmagalik ice fields.

The Danish supply ship, Gertrud Raak, which is ice bound southeast of Angmagalik and which reported yesterday that she needed coal, expects to clear the ice pack in two days, she reported today. Flight Commander Smith has engaged a trawler here to carry 300 tons of coal to the Danish ship and to refuel her at the edge of the ice.

Lieut. Smith and Lieut. Nelson believe that the hope of providing a base at Angmagalik or at some point further south on the east coast of Greenland now depends on the Gertrud Raak.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Reykjavik, Iceland, Aug. 11.—There is no question of calling off the American army world flight because of ice conditions around the shore of Greenland, according to a statement issued on board the cruiser Richmond, flagship of the convoying squadron. In the opinion of Rear Admiral Magruder, commander of the squadron, the flight will be completed successfully, barring possible accidents or unforeseen adverse weather.

Reports from the cruiser Raleigh, which left this port Saturday, to search for a safe landing place for the fliers on their trip from Iceland to Greenland, state that no ice was sighted up to yesterday afternoon. Dense fog was encountered, however.

The aviators are faced with three possibilities in making their next hop. First, the Raleigh, by means of her scout planes may find a safe landing place for them on the Greenland coast, second, the scout fliers may find a safe landing place in the ice pack, third, they may attempt a non-stop flight from this port to Igloot, on the western coast of Greenland, or to a base near Cape Farewell, on the southernmost tip.

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Who Are the Oldest and Most Constant Telegraph Readers?

Who is the Telegraph's oldest reader in point of consecutive years? This paper is very desirous of learning the names of our most constant readers, and request all such to send in their names, addresses and the number of years they have been readers.

FULL ACCORD ON DAWES PROGRAM ATTAINED TODAY

Conclusion of Parley Expected Before End of the Week.

BULLETIN.
London, Aug. 11.—(By the Associated Press.)—Premier Herriot of France and Foreign Minister Stresemann of Germany conferred late this afternoon on the question of evacuation of the Ruhr. The conversation followed a conference of the principal French and Belgian delegates to the international conference.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
London, Aug. 11.—The allied and German experts attached to the international reparations conference have reached a full agreement on the Dawes program, it is announced. They remained in session until 3 o'clock this morning to arrive at an understanding on reparations payments in kind, on which the Germans held out until the results of Premier Herriot's Paris mission became known.

The French premier's return with his cabinet's approval of his Ruhr evacuation policy in his pocket put new life and hope into the negotiations and British observers believe the conference will end Thursday.

The question of the evacuation of the Ruhr was being considered late this afternoon at a conference of the principal French and Belgian delegates. Until they have reached an agreement among themselves on this problem, there will not be another meeting with the Germans and it is not expected such a meeting will come before tomorrow.

Society

Tuesday.
Woman's Missionary Society—Grace Evangelical Church.
Executive Committee Sunshine Class—St. Paul's Lutheran church.

THE ENGINEER—
Listen to me, just a moment please,
You folks who drive a car.
Who think my life is one of ease
And move without a jar.
I pull a limited train you know,
A thousand tons of steel,
Swift as an arrow from the bow,
Along my path I wheel.

Do you ever give me a single thought?
Do you think I have a fear?
Don't you know my very nerves grow
taut.
When a speeding car draws near,
Time after time, I've held my breath,
My heart a tremble with fear,
As I've seen a driver flit with death
With those he holds most dear.

I've seen the look of despair on a face,
I've heard the moans of pain
Of those who run a losing race
With my swiftly speeding train;
I've felt the engine leave the rail
As she struck a passenger car,
I've lain for weeks upon my back—
I've even glimpsed the gates ajar.

And as I returned from the shadow of
death,
In anguish, and in pain,
I muttered a prayer beneath my
breath,
For the fool who raced a train.
Please use the brain, the eye and ear.
The sense the good God gave,
And save yourself, and the engineer,
From grief or an early grave.
—Exchange.

HOUSEHOLD SUGGESTIONS—
Egg Poacher.
There is an efficient new aluminum
egg poacher on the market from which
the egg cups may be removed and
the poacher becomes a regular frying
pan.

White Silk Clothes.
When white silk garments are to
be laid away for some time, wrap
the thin dark blue tissue paper to
prevent them from becoming yellow.

Cut Thin Slices.
You will get the best results with
eggplant if you pare it, cut it in thin



slices, wash, sprinkle with salt and
press over night before cooking.

Use Turpentine.
Turpentine will remove most spots
from an unfinished floor.

Small Quantities.
It is advisable to buy coffee in
small quantities and grind only
enough for one meal at a time. It
should be kept tightly covered in a
can.

Clean Water.
Use clean cold water to mix your
bluing in before putting it on the
clothes.

Spicing Fruits.
When spicing peaches or pears, put
the spices in your teaball. You can
remove them easily when you wish to
from the hot sirup.



Cooking Peas.
Cook peas in a small amount of
boiling water, adding more as it boils
away. Salt when done. You may
save the water in which they were
boiled for soup.

HOUSEHOLD SUGGESTIONS—
Selecting Beets.
When selecting beets choose those
that are not too wilted and not too
large. If they are too large they are
apt to be woody.

Vegetable Brush.
Use a vegetable brush to remove
the corn silk from roasting corn.

For Insect Bites.
To relieve the pain from insect
bites, ammonia, camphor, peroxide of
hydrogen and dioxygen are all effica-
cious.

Boiled Celery.
Celery boiled and served with a
cream sauce is most delicious.

**GUESTS FROM BERWYN
VISIT IN DIXON.**
Mrs. F. J. Maxon of Berwyn, Ill.,
spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs.
Robert Fulton. Mrs. Maxon's daugh-
ter, Mrs. David Duffield, and niece,
Mrs. L. R. Hogle, also of Berwyn, are
spending this week at Lowell Park
lodge.

**WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY
TO MEET.**
The Woman's Missionary Society of
Grace Evangelical church will meet
Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 at the
church.

SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN



BY SISTER MARY.

A Daily Menu for the Stout and Thin.

**EAT AND—
LOSE WEIGHT.**

Breakfast—One-half cup stewed rhu-
barb, 2 thin slices unbuttered whole
wheat toast, hot water.
Luncheon—One slice pressed chick-
en, 1 tomato sliced with 1/2 small cu-
mber on lettuce, 1 whole wheat roll.
Dinner—Four ounces baked halibut
steak, juice 1/4 lemon, two tablespoons
wax beans, 1/2 cup jellied cabbage sal-
ad, 1 cup skimmed milk, 2 peaches
sliced over small piece angel food
cake.

Bedtime—One cup skimmed milk.
Total calories, 1101. Protein, 271;
fat, 340; carbohydrate, 490. Iron, .017
gram.

Pressed Chicken.
Four or five pounds chicken, one
small onion, 1 blade celery, 1 table-
spoon salt, pepper, 1 tablespoon granu-
lated gelatin.

Choose a year-old hen if possible,
wash and disjoint. Scrub the feet
and legs well and cook with the fowl.
Put chicken in kettle, cover with boil-
ing water, add onion and celery and
simmer until tender. Remove from
broth and take the meat from the
skin and bones. Return skin and
bones. Return skin and bones to broth
and boil until the stock is reduced to
3 cups. Cut the meat in tiny neat
dice. Cook broth after straining and
remove fat. Put broth and chicken
in kettle and bring to the boiling point.
Stir in gelatin softened in 2 table-
spoons cold water, season with salt
and pepper and turn into a deep brick-
shaped mold. Let stand on ice to
chill and become firm.

Total calories, 3026. Protein, 1002;
fat, 2024. Iron, .0388 gram.

GAIN WEIGHT.
Breakfast—One-half cup stewed rhu-
barb, 3 ounces broiled ham, 1 gently
fried egg, 2 tablespoons creamed po-
tatoes, 2 rye muffins, 1 tablespoon but-
ter, 1 cup cocoa.

Midmorning lunch—One large glass
orange juice, 2 peanut butter sand-
wiches.

Luncheon—One cup cream of pea
soup, 1 slice pressed chicken, one to-
mato sliced with 1/2 cucumber on let-
tuce, 2 tablespoons mayonnaise, 1
whole wheat roll, 1 tablespoon butter,
one-sixth blueberry pie, 2 table-
spoons creamed cottage cheese.

Afternoon tea—One-half cup grape-
fruit frappe, 2 nut cookies.
Dinner—Four ounces baked halibut
steak, 2 tablespoons tomato sauce, 2
potato croquettes, 2 tablespoons wax
beans in cream, 1/2 cup jellied cabbage
salad with 2 tablespoons French dress-
ing, 2 peaches sliced over large piece
angel cake with 3 tablespoons whip-
ped cream.

Bedtime—One cup whole milk.
Total calories, 4092. Protein, 417;
fat, 1651; carbohydrate, 2024. Iron,
.0196 gram.

Blueberry Pie.
Two cups blueberries, 1 cup ripe cur-
rants, 1 cup sugar, 1 tablespoon flour,
1/4 teaspoon salt, 1 tablespoon butter.
Pick over, wash and drain fruit.
Combine sugar, flour and salt. Add
fruit and mix well. Line a pie pan
with pastry, add prepared fruit, dot
with bits of butter and cover with a
top crust. Bake half an hour in a
hot oven. Serve warm with cottage
cheese mixed with whipped cream.

Total calories (exclusive of cheese),
2617. Protein, 75; fat, 817; carbohy-
drate, 1225. Iron, .0024 gram.
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**MAH-JONGG ACQUIRES UNEX-
PECTED SIGNIFICANCE.**

Mah-jongg acquires unexpected sig-
nificance from the report that a vessel
recently arrived at Seattle with one
hundred tons of equipment for the
game in its holds. This is only one
instance of heavy shipments from
China, and shippers believe the Ameri-
can oxo into return cargoes as raw
material from which mah-jongg pieces
are to be made. An important trade
seems to have developed which can
continue while shins bones and cran-
ial bones of the American ox and the
American public, respectively, retain
their present hardness and lustre.—
Exchange.

**SILVER WEDDING WAS
CELEBRATED.**

The twenty-fifth wedding anniver-
sary of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Finn of
Amboy, was celebrated by about 125
of their friends with a chicken dinner
in Green River Park last Sunday. The
"bride and groom" were presented
with a handsome silver set and other
articles of that metal.

**EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE TO
MEET TUESDAY EVE.**

The executive committee of the Sun-
shine class of St. Paul's Lutheran
church will meet Tuesday evening at
7:30 in the Sunday school room at the
church.

Held Missionary Meeting Thursday

The women of the East Jordan
church held a very fine missionary
meeting last Thursday in the home
of Mrs. Bertha Sivits. Sixty-three
persons were present. An excellent
dinner was served, at noon, after
which a program of unusual inter-
est was given. Dr. and Mrs. A. D.
Cook and daughters, Ruth and Eliza-
beth, were present for the meeting.
They are missionaries supported by
the East Jordan church. Dr. Cook
has charge of a hospital in Siam,
South China. After serving one term,
they have just finished a furlough in
America and are returning to their
work. Both Dr. and Mrs. Cook gave
interesting talks. Mrs. Ellen Hoak led
a helpful Bible study, and Mrs. Ida
Anderson and Isabel Detweiler sang.
In the evening an excellent congre-
gation gathered to hear two addresses
by the Cooks. Mrs. Cook spoke on
the condition of women and girls in
China, and Dr. Cook spoke on health
conditions and the importance of med-
ical work. The service was very im-
pressive and the large congregation
was helped a great deal by it. Mrs.
Isabel Detweiler and Mrs. Hazel Hum-
mel furnished some special music.

SOUTH DIXON COMMUNITY CLUB.

The evening party to have been
held by the South Dixon Community
club has been postponed until a later
date which will be announced in the
paper.

The party was to have been held at
the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller
Tuesday evening.

TO VISIT YELLOWSTONE PARK.

Miss Anna Theles of Dixon, went
to Rockford Saturday where she joined
a party of friends, who left that
city, to visit Yellowstone Park, Colo-
rado Springs and Denver.

MOTORED TO CLINTON YESTER- DAY TO SPEND DAY.

Mr. and Mrs. John Carlson and Mr.
and Mrs. Max Karneth, and Miss Ra-
chel Rankins, motored to Clinton, Ia.,
yesterday and spent the day.

PUTTAB SINGH. By Dr. Claude Backus.

The seamed old face and shuffling
pace
Of an aged man, worst of all his
race;
"Ha, Sahib pice, Ha Sahib pice
"Give me food or I shall die.
"My stomach's empty, my body worn
"With anguish keen my heart is
torn.

"Ha Sahib, annas Ha Sahib pice,
"Give me food or give the price
"Else I shall lie just here and die
"And my poor soul shall hover by
"And haunt your door forever more."
"Kind Burra Sahib, my soul is sore."

That was Singh, old Puttab Singh
Whose bellows made the welkin
ring
Who whined his lay and begged his
way
To dark of night from break of day.
He'd plant his feet outside your door—
Give him an anna, he'd yell for
more;

He'd dodge a brick, accept a kick,
Grab up your coin but there he'd
stick
To yell and moan for pice or pice
Nor shun a bun or bowl of rice.

My Beamer told me what he said
And for this wretch my purse was
bled;
My heart was torn with pity great
For this sad fellow and his fate.
He got my pice, he got my pice
But the old rogue returned just
twice

The self same day with his sad lay
Until at home I could not stay.
His moaning had a tinge so sad
It made you wild and wild and
mad.

It did increase and the Police
Would make no move to save my
pice.
The landlord fanned my rising ire
And added fuel unto the fire
When he told me with twinkle frank
Rockefeller's wealth old Singh
would rank.

The neighbors cursed and frowned at
me
And were as peevish as peevish could
be.
At noon, at noon and to the night
Before my door the self same sight.

Now, just one way could save the
day
So from the place I moved away;
Happy again in peace and quiet
For just one dawn when broke a
spot.

Outside my nest and there the pest
Had made his way and stood at rest,
Yelping aloud his fearsome plea
To all the Gods, but more to me!
Charity, Amigo, had begun at home
And never again would it stray or
roam!

I fled the town, my peace destroyed,
My pice gone, my friends annoyed.
Now, Faith and Hope, 'tis plain to see
Charity took my home from me;
And along with home went peaceful
dreams.

For I wake in the night and again
It seems
Old Puttab Singh with his mournful
about
Has come again and found me out.
No charity so charitable, that I say
As charity to the uncharitable,
MAKE 'em pay!

—OLD DOK YAK.

THREE-PIECE COSTUME



Here is a three-piece costume of the
type that is to be extremely fashion-
able this winter. The coat and skirt
are of black and gray striped velvet
brocade, and the long, straight blouse
is of gray. The coat is so long that
it may easily be worn as a wrap with
other gowns, while the blouse and
skirt give the effect of a complete cos-
tume without the wrap. The smart-
est suit coats are very long and follow
the straight, comfortable lines of this
one.

Overland Baby Paid Dixon Visit Today

Rarely does a little miss have the
experience which has been the privi-
lege of little Constance, the eighteen
months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs.
W. C. Howard, of Chicago.

This young lady, who by the way
is known all over the United States
as the Overland Baby, visited Dixon
with her parents today, and created
no end of entertainment for the in-
terested people who happen to be on
the street shortly before noon. She is
called America's perfect health baby,
having been examined by 200 doctors
who have pronounced her 100 per cent
perfect physically.

This remarkable youngster is tour-
ing the United States in an Overland
Red Bird, which has been her home
since she was six weeks old, and has
covered a distance of 16,000 miles. She
has personally been introduced to 25
governors and over 500 mayors and
presidents of organizations.

She is going to visit every city in
the United States with her wonder
car, and has already toured and visited
over 25 states and 6,000 cities and
towns. Her most cherished companion
is a little terrier puppy, which she was
fondly displaying to all whom she saw
while in Dixon today.

Constance is quite famous among
the Overland people, among whom she
is known as the Overland salesman,
and actually receives a personal salary
of \$250 per week. During her visit in
Dixon, she was the guest of the Fraza
Automotive Garage, who staged a pa-
rade in her honor.—Adv.

Liquor Found in Dixon Man's Car Was Not His

Morrison Sentinel.—A car bearing
an Illinois license plate was taken
in charge by officials at the Legion
dance at the Fair grounds Wednesday
evening and was brought to an up-
town garage, pending the appearance
of its owner. It was picked up when
a bottle containing some alleged liq-
uor was found in it.

Thursday forenoon, John Pritchard
of Dixon, who is employed on the
paving work under way in the vicin-
ity of Erie, appeared at the office of
Sheriff Hamilton and stated he was
the owner of the car. He gave him
the version of the story, which was to
the effect that he had loaned his car to
Earl Mathews of Erie to come to the
dance, and that he did not originally
plan on coming to Morrison himself,
but did not later when a number of his
acquaintances who were coming, urg-
ed him to accompany them. Pritchard
disclaimed any knowledge what
soever regarding the liquor found in
the car.

Mathews put in his appearance at
the office of the sheriff a little later
and acknowledged that he was the
owner of the liquor. He was taken
before Justice A. R. Baird and given
a hearing, the result of which was
that he was assessed a fine of \$50 and
costs.

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ASSEMBLY TO BE CONTINUED NEXT YEAR: DECISION

Announcement Made at Closing Sessions of Assembly Sunday.

By Assembly Reporter.
With a good crowd present at the
Union service last night the thir-
teenth Annual session of the Rock
River Assembly closed. Dr. Hensch
of Chicago who had been platform
manager during the two weeks of the
chauffauqua made some important an-
nouncements at both the afternoon
program and the evening. It was to
the effect that plans are being made
for the School for Religious Workers
and the Inter-denominational School
of Missions for next year. The chauf-
tauqua also will be continued and
there is no intention of closing the
doors of the Assembly, as some had
heard it rumored.

The close of the Assembly for this
year was marked by some very not-
able features. The old enemy "War"
received such blows as he never did
twice in succession. Saturday night
it was the big pageant of peace which
the School of Missions presented and
last night it seemed as if there were
a certain divine providence guiding
the course of things and Dr. Perry J.
Rice had never received the letter in-
forming him what subject he was to
speak on, consequently he was pre-
pared to speak on "The Way to
World Peace," and took the privilege
of changing his subject.

Pageant Well Presented

Many who saw the pageant of Sat-
urday night remarked that it was one
of the best if not the best pageant
ever presented on the platform of
Rock River Assembly. It was a pa-
geant with a real message combined
with beauty of presentation and con-
sequently could not fail to impress
in such a way. To see the nations of
the earth gather themselves before
the prophet, then the happiness of
childhood portrayed before them was
a sight which will never be forgotten.

Then when War came in and the
effect upon such happiness, there was
not a one present who could not help
realizing the awfulness of war. The
remedy for war was also very realisti-
cally portrayed in which it became
necessary for Christianity to loose the
chains which bound industrialism, sci-
ence and education. Militarism alone
was untouched by Christianity for
never can war be ended by war hence
the only thing to be done is to abolish
militarism entirely. Taken all in all
nothing was more great credit
for the marvelous work she did with
the pageant in less than a week. To
produce something of that magnitude
in that time is nothing less than a
miracle and certainly it was.

Organize for Peace

Last night in his address Dr. Rice
took occasion to point out the neces-
sity for organizing for peace. He
went into the causes of war which
he, the instinct of fear and then
the false logic which says that war
must always be and can never be
abolished. As to the cure for war he
pointed out that we must first be ed-
ucated as to what war really is. It is
nothing but the jungle and debasing
to mankind. In all its hideousness
Dr. Rice portrayed war so that any-
one who cried for war would be con-
sidered foolishly if they really knew
the truth as he set it forth.

Then the churches must organize
for peace. There must go forth de-
clarations against war from all the
churches for no war can be fought
without the cooperation of the
churches. He expressed the regret
that we were to have a national de-
fense day on Sept. 12 because that is
organization for war and what the
world needs is organization for peace.
Further the mobilization on that day
will not portray war as it really is
but will be thrilling and inspiring to
say the least. Thus the war spirit
will be kept alive even though the in-
tent of that day according to our pre-
sident is that it shall demonstrate to
the people what it will mean if we
ever do get into a war again.

Called War a Disease

One of the biggest points brought
out was that war could be abolished
because human nature can be changed.
History proves that it can be
changed and war is only a disease and
can be cured. To hear a note like
that is hopeful to say the least when
everyone seems to be somewhat in
doubt as to the practicability of ever
trying to stop that greatest of all
evils.

Koch's Fine Recital

Yesterday at 2:30 p. m. the largest
audience of the entire assembly turn-
ed out to hear the piano recital by
Arthur Koch. That he was known
and popular was evidenced by the re-
ception he received. His hearers

seemed to be there expecting big
things from him and they were not
disappointed. When he sat down to
the piano and began to play it seemed
as if the piano was not a piano but
simply a means of expressing to what
was in his soul. The instrument was
forgotten and all there seemed to be
was the beautiful message of music
in its purest and highest form. He
demonstrated himself to be an artist
worthy of note, one who is the com-
plete master of the instrument which
he plays. That mechanical instrument
when used by him, became something
living and something which possessed
a soul which sought expression. The
hearty applause and the encores he
received at the end of the program
gave evidence of the fact that he had
succeeded in his task and mission.

Miss Alma Ullrich very ably as-
sisted him and added charm to the
program of the afternoon. Her clear,
sweet voice struck a responsive chord
in the hearts of everyone.

The program was as follows:
Rigoletto Paraphrase..... Verdi
Nocturne..... Schumann
Rhapsodie No. 2..... Brahms
Menuet..... Beethoven-Busoni
Rhapsodie No. 12..... Franz Liszt
MR. ARTHUR KOCH
The Living God..... O'Hara
Sacrament..... MacDermid

MISS ULLRICH
Fantasie from Opera Freischuetz..... Weber
Fantasie Impromptu..... Chopin
Waltz, A flat major..... Chopin
MR. ARTHUR KOCH
A Birthday..... Cowen

MISS ULLRICH
Prelude..... Rachmaninoff
Polichinello..... Rachmaninoff
Arabesque No. 1..... Debussy
Arabesque No. 2..... Debussy
Rhapsodie No. 4..... Franz Liszt
MR. ARTHUR KOCH

Brief Summary of Last Night's News

By Associated Press Leased Wire
BERGAMO, ITALY.—Any woman
who "ludely exposes her nudity" can
not enter churches in Bergamo, ac-
cording to instructions issued by the
district bishop.

DETROIT—R. M. Harrop, vice
presidential nominee of the Peoples'
Progressive Party, announced that the
name of Henry Ford would be placed
on the ballot in Nebraska as the
nominee of this party.

DETROIT—Narcotics valued at
\$120,000 were seized by police in a
trunk sent from New York.

SOUTH SUBURBY, MASS.—Henry
Ford sent word to reporters that he
had nothing more to add to his de-
claration that he was not a candidate
for the republican senatorial nomi-
nation.

ATLANTIC CITY.—The executive
council of the American Federation
of Labor designated the month begin-
ning August 25 as "union label
month."

NEW YORK.—A suggestion that
the republican party permit the un-
opposed election of Senator Walsh
in Montana was made by George
Henry Payne, former Hiram Johnson
manager, in a letter to Senator Moses
of New Hampshire.

President Limits His Recreation to Walking

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, Aug. 11.—Intense heat
which prevailed here for the last two
weeks has interfered little with the
program of President Coolidge, who
has followed his practice of taking
two walks daily for exercise.

This has been practically the only
recreation indulged in by the Presi-
dent, aside from his trips on the May-
flower. It is his custom to walk
about the city in the morning any-
where from 30 minutes to two hours
and again in the evening for a shorter
time.

His speech of acceptance completed
Mr. Coolidge is planning to rest a
little more this week until the address
is delivered. Thursday night at the
formal notification exercises.

Some Liquor Obtained in Raid to Szabo Residence

The home of Joe Szabo, east of the
city near the Daysville road, was the
scene of a raid, conducted by Sheriff
Elliot C. Risley and a force of depu-
ties, Saturday evening. According to
members of the raiding party, two
barrels of mash and some finished
liquor was taken to the county jail.
Szabo was taken to jail and later in
the evening was released under bonds
of \$1,000 which were signed by Isaac
Berei and the defendant's attorney,
John E. Erwin. The case was set for
tomorrow morning.

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TODAY IN LOCAL HISTORY

Gist of News Gleaned from the Evening Telegraph
of Former Years

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY.
August 11, 1914 was Sunday.
Twenty Years Ago Today.
August 11, 1904.
John Curran was found dead at 3
o'clock this morning in his bed

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RAW MATERIAL IN MAN.
When one is inclined to swell up over the thought of one's importance in the world it might be well to reflect on one's actual value in the market at the rate of 60 cents a hundred pounds. A scientist has estimated the constituents of the average man weigh about 50. In that body there is enough fat to make seven bars of soap, enough salt to fill a small shaker, iron to make two two-penny nails, lime to whitewash two chickens, and enough sulphur to kill the fleas on the average dog. Thus the genus homo rages in value from about 60 cents to around \$1.80.
Valuable animal! A hog is worth a lot more. Consideration of one's bodily constituents convinces that man is made of pretty common material. Soap grease isn't pleasant stuff to handle, yet there is more of that in volume than anything else. The scientist's analysis is not even as gratifying as the Biblical statement in regard to mud, for dust becomes mud when it is wet. The expenditure for raw materials is not great. That much is clear. This is one side of the subject.
When we reflect on what that combination of soap grease, whitewash and other ingredients is able to do when mixed properly we are forced to the conclusion that it was a remarkable job. Certainly there was little work when such material was used and the result is all the more creditable when the output acts according to the original design and fulfills the purpose of his stay on earth. It demonstrates that a good product can be made from discouraging elements. Not that every person is good, but that the idea back of the product was good. How the individual acts determines whether he is just a mixture, or vastly more than that, is a man according to the design of the Creator.
Of course there is more goes into the real man than the chemist can find in his analysis, and that is what lefts man above the rest of creation, makes him more than so much raw material. If it were not so, man would be of about the least value conceivable. It lies with the individual to determine whether one is a mixture or a man. One can be either.

THE CHANGE IN POLITICS.
A modern political writer ranks the power to nominate for political office high above that to elect. It is the possession of this power to which the student of political science attributes a very large part of the strength of local bosses. Political bosses who can control and dictate nominations can not be unseated by many crushing defeats at the polls. This kind of closed-corporation control in national politics long since passed away. No man, no small group of men, can now decide beforehand who is to be nominated as president. The abolition of the old rule in the republican party and its partial abandonment by the democrats have brought about conditions which may not be satisfactory in all respects, but which, at all events, have made an end of the open and unblushing boss system. The existing gods of the machine have to be more refined and secretive in their methods. The avowed and even brutal dictation of other days would not be tolerated now.
Not even its stoutest defenders, however, could maintain that the convention is a wholly admirable institution which functions well. At the thing is not always so bad as it seems. Behind the silly demonstrations, the empty speeches and the enthusiastic marching up only to march down again there usually lies a definite purpose and a movement of concentration which in the end have their way.

way. Often a happy result leads the public to forget or pardon the most unhappy preliminaries. Yet something ought to be done to remove the impression of aimless dawdling or insincere and infantile manifestations which almost regularly mark the first days of a national convention.
It might be provided that applause for any candidate should not be allowed to exceed five minutes. Some of the things which happened in New York strongly indicate that the national convention is in need of being saved from its own professed friends.

DISEASED MINDS.
Chicago's two bright young murderers, according to the defense, are not really responsible because they have "diseased minds." That may be so. No human being can read those minds, or any other minds, clearly enough to tell just where responsibility ends. As Whittier wrote:
"It is not ours to separate
The tangled skein of will and fate—
To show what metes and bound my stand
Upon the soul's debatable land,
And between choice and Providence
Divide the circle of events."
Those boys' mind at present certainly appear diseased. They may be incapable now of exercising sound moral judgment. But the real question is how they reached such a state.
They may have been both born with a fatal lack of some kind, which kept their moral nature from developing as it does in normal children, strengthening with experience and practice. But it seems more likely that their present defects of mind and conduct are really self-made.
If the will is free at all—if man is anything more than a mechanical top played upon by some unseen power—life is an infinite series of choices. The person who starts early choosing to do what he knows is right will develop sound morals. The child who starts early deliberately avoiding the right choice, and preferring the thing that means momentary pleasure, gain, self-indulgence, instead of duty or justice or generosity, naturally loses little whatever moral insight and power of right choice he ever possessed.
Suppose, then, that those boys are now morally diseased and irresponsible, but as a result of killing their moral sense through years of bad choice. Is there no penalty for that?

TOM SIMS SAYS
Row of houses burned in Chicago, only one row. So a cow couldn't have kicked over a lamp. Maybe a rat did it.
In St. Louis, they had a picnic, and a man who went swimming just after eating left a wife and one child.
Judge rules you may cuss over a telephone in Vienna, and it's a long way to go but worth it.
They say a German couple killed 51 people. We say just possibly they were cooks in a boarding house.
Women, the timid Creatures, flocked to hear the testimony in the Chicago murder case.
You can thank the presidential election for one thing; it crowds a good many murders off the front page.
The election will cost many millions of dollars, but if the right man is picked it will be worth every cent spent.
Luckily, a large group of fossils unearthed near Bass Lake, Ind., were too late to run for office.
Mash from moonshine clogged the sewers in Cincinnati so the only thing to do is build larger sewers.
Wouldn't it be awful if one of these round-the-world flyers got home and found the milk man had left him milk all summer?
The hardest part about many a vacation is lying about what a fine time you had.
Pershing will be given a dinner when he retires to private life, and we hope they have hardtack for dessert.
A straw vote shows LaFollette's name is being pronounced every possible and impossible way.
A real estate promoter is a man who buys outlying property by the acre and sells it by the yard.
One use for culture is it makes people perspire instead of sweat.
Much discomfort is caused by buying shoes to fit the occasion instead of shoes to fit the feet.

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS
by Olive Roberts Barton
No. 2.—THE TRAVELERS VISIT THE KANGAROOS



Weeny gave a few flaps with his big ears.

"Where are we going now," Weeny asked Nick when the elephant had placed them both carefully on his back after they had left the iceberg. "Who else are you going to visit on your vacation?" "I believe I'm going to see Kicky Kangaroo," said Weeny. "We used to have a lot of fun in the circus. He lives a long way off, but that doesn't matter, since the Fairy Queen taught me to fly with my ears. Let me see—where's that card? The last postcard I had from him had his address on it." "It must be in your satchel," said Nick. "So it must," said Weeny. So the Twins opened the satchel and took out Weeny's nightgown and his specks and his toothbrush and there, sure enough, was the lost postcard. "It says 'Bamboo Grove, Australia,'" read Nick. "Yes, sir, of course," said Weeny. "I wish my memory was as long as my trunk. But it's only as long as my tail. My head will never save my heels, I'm afraid. Wasn't it lucky I happened to have that card along! Hold tight now, here we go." Weeny gave a few flaps with his big ears and soon the travelers were whizzing away over mountains and seas until they came to Australia. At least that's what the whale said it was, when they asked him out in the ocean.
And before they knew it there they were at the Bamboo Grove, where Kicky Kangaroo lived.
In a sort of a tangly place, under some trees there was a house and on the door-plate it said, "Mister and Mrs. Kangaroo."
"Why, it doesn't say a word about Kicky," said Weeny anxiously. "Oh, it never mentions the children," said Nick wisely. "But if his mother and daddy live here, he must too." "Of course!" said Weeny. "Who's there?" called a voice suddenly from inside. "Me!" said Weeny. "I mean us." At that the door flew open and out jumped Kicky Kangaroo himself.
"Mac serves the cold slaw to his boys with an iron palm. His motto is, 'Treat 'Em Rougher.'"
"Maybe this don't bring him love notes from the field hands, but they always call him Mister when he steps in the dugout."
"You gotta get right down to brass tacks with the heavyweight champ of the Lambs' club. And if it's brass knucks you want, pull up a chair and name your headache wafers."
"Mr. J. McGraw doesn't mind lending a ball player a helping hand, but if a kick in the reparations program will get him there quicker the brogans are always there watchful and waiting."
"As long as you can flatten the apple run the canvas bags and knock down base hits you can pin tails on the donkey at Mr. McGraw's taffy pull. When you become minus in any of these fancy details you are through. Mr. McGraw and Miss Sentiment parted at the altar."
"John J. has a delegation of old timers on his pay roll as ground keepers, ticket takers, coaches and assistant managers, but he knows they are THROUGH as ball players. That's sentiment that counts. A manager who keeps a ball player who is through because he USED TO BE (GROW) never has to sit up all night wondering who to pitch in the first world series game."
"Mr. McGraw is not one of those bulging brain birds who thinks he knows it all. Mr. McGraw KNOWS he knows it all."
"A board of strategy is a noble thing on a ball club. The Giants' board is composed of three of the best minds in baseball: Muggsy McGraw, J. J. McGraw and John Joseph McGraw."
"As McGraw goes, so go the Giants. And right now they are going in the specific direction of their fourth straight championship."
"Try and chuckle that off if your new porcelain teeth are all shined up."

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TH' MAJOR WAS TELLIN' US A BEDTIME STORY LAST NIGHT—HOW HE THREW THAT PANAMA HAT PEDDLER OUT OF TH' HOUSE!—HE SAID HE WAS SO MAD, YOU HAD TO STEP IN TO SAVE TH' HAT PEDDLER'S KIDS FROM BEING ORPHANS!

WHY—TH' BIG EGG!—HE WAS SO SCARED, HIS KNEES RATTLED LIKE A XYLOPHONE!—HE DIDN'T DO A THING BUT STAND BACK AN' GULP LIKE HE WAS SWALLOWING WHOLE OLIVES!


TELL YOU WHAT—LET'S HAND TH' MAJOR A DRIED FISH—TOMORROW WE'LL TELL HIM THAT WE SAW TH' HAT PEDDLER WITH A COUPLE OF OTHER ARABIAN NIGHTS, WAITING AT TH' CORNER TO GIVE HIM A SCALP TREATMENT!

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A THOUGHT FOR TODAY
Set your affections on things above, not on things on earth.—Col. 3:2.
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FARM BUREAU WILL HAVE TENT AT LEE CO. FAIR ALL WEEK

Farmers Urged to Make It Headquarters; to Test Soils There.

The Farm Bureau office force will maintain headquarters at the Lee County Fair Grounds during this week, the tent being located near the poultry building. Farmers are urged to make the Farm Bureau headquarters their stopping place. Advisor Griffith will be at the headquarters most of the time to consult with various farmers who may wish to talk over farm matters. The office secretary, Miss Bethard, will take care of various requests farmers may wish to make for service through the Farm Bureau.

For a number of years it has been found that farmers are more anxious to consult with the Farm Bureau officials during fair week than to spend a great amount of time studying detailed exhibits as have been put on during past years. For this reason, extensive exhibits have not been worked up, but the time will be spent in consulting with farmers who may wish to see the Advisor or officers.

After 10:30 o'clock, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, the Farm Bureau office will be closed and the office force will be at the headquarters on the fair grounds. Farmers wishing to call the office should keep this in mind. If possible, a phone will be installed at the Farm Bureau headquarters.

Will Test Soils
The Bureau at their headquarters on the fair grounds, will be equipped to test soils for acidity and alkalinity.

Those who wish soil testing done are urged to bring samples from various fields or portions of fields where soil tests are desired. This is especially true where sweet clover and alfalfa have been sown or are expected to be sown in the near future.

The Farm Bureau has found, according to Advisor Griffith, that a great deal of sweet clover seed has been sown on soil that will not grow a crop, and that a soil test would have shown plainly that it is only a waste of seed to sow under certain conditions.

A very small sample of soil is all that is required, it being only necessary to get a representative sample from the place where the test is desired. For instance, a spoonful or two of soil is sufficient for the test, but the sample should be made up of three or four small samples taken a few feet apart in order that a true and representative sample is secured.

Gompers Refuses to Hear Davis Make Greatest Speech

Atlantic City, N. J., Aug. 9.—Correspondence which passed between John W. Davis, democratic presidential nominee and Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, was made public by the union leader today, after Mr. Davis had publicly announced in New York that Mr. Gompers was at liberty to do so.

The gist of the correspondence was as Mr. Gompers stated it a week ago in a letter to William B. Wilson, at the democratic campaign headquarters at Washington. Disclosed that Mr. Davis had sought an interview with Mr. Gompers for that conflicting engagements made a meeting impossible, and that Mr. Gompers later declined to submit to Mr. Davis a list of "questions" in which labor is chiefly interested.

That Mr. Gompers had declined an invitation from Clarkburg, W. Va., to hear Mr. Davis' acceptance speech there, was revealed in other correspondence the labor leader made public today.

The invitation was proffered in a telegram from L. W. Johnson, chairman of the Clarkburg notification committee. It was tendered, said the message, "at the request of the democratic national committee."

Migrating birds, according to their variety, average a speed of 30 to 60 miles an hour.

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The greatest aqueduct in the world is the Los Angeles aqueduct, having a length of 250 miles.

MUCH TO BE DONE ON CROSSING REMOVAL

BY LEWIS A. DE BLOIS

President, National Safety Council
The railroad grade crossing which is taking a toll of approximately 2000 lives each year in this country is receiving the study of public officials and groups of experts identified with the safety movement.

The ideal solution of the problem of course, would be the elimination of the main cause, the grade crossing itself. Admittedly, this is virtually a physical impossibility. The separation of all grades would include 250,000 crossings on Class 1 railroads alone involving expenditure of at least \$12,000,000,000 and would require 300 years in its completion, engineers have estimated. For substantial and immediate relief, it would be almost as long to abolish the automobile altogether as to rely on the elimination of all grade crossings for immediate relief from accidents.

However, the abolition of dangerous grade crossings remains a paramount duty the financial burden of which should be borne by the state, the municipality and the railroads mutually and should proceed in an orderly and expeditious manner. Dangerous crossings must be made physically safe as soon as possible.

Education, it has been determined

Radiographs

What's in the Air Tuesday—

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9:00 A. M.—Opening Market Quotations.

10:00 A. M.—Household Hints.

10:55 A. M.—Time Signals.

11:05 A. M.—Market Quotations.

12:00 Noon—Chimes Concert.

12:15 P. M.—Weather Forecast (Repeated).

1:30 P. M.—Closing Stocks and Markets.

5:45 P. M.—Chimes Concert.

6:30 P. M.—Sport News and Weather Forecast.

(No broadcasting after 6:00 p. m.)

Courtesy Radio Digest

By Associated Press Leased Wire

WGR Buffalo (319) 4:30 music; 5:30 news.

WMAQ Chicago News (447.5) 5 o'clock; 5:30 orchestra; 7 literary talk; 7:30 travel talk; 8 Civil service talk; 8:15 music.

WQJ Chicago (448) 6 artists; 9-1 a. m. orchestra.

KYV Chicago (536) 6 music; 8:20 American Farm Bureau; 8:50 music; 10 "At Home."

WEHB Chicago (370) 6:30 artists; orchestra; 8:30 music; 10:30 music.

WLW Cincinnati (423) 9 dance; 9:20 music.

WTAM Cleveland News (390) 6:30 bedtime; 7 concert.

WFAA Dallas News (476) 8:30-9:30 music; 11-12 Hawaiian music.

WCX Detroit Free Press (417) 9 concert; 9 Red Apple Club, orchestra.

WWJ Detroit News (517) 7:30 band; 8:30 News orchestra.

WTAS Elgin (280) 7:30 bedtime; 8 songs; 8:30-12:30 dance.

WHAA Iowa City (484) 8 recital.

WDAF Kansas City Star (411) 3:30-4:30 trio; 5 child talent; 6-7 School of the Air.

WHB Kansas City (411) 8 play; 10:30-11:30 dance music.

KPL Los Angeles (469) 8:45 motion picture night; 10 orchestra; 11 program; 12 organ.

KHJ Los Angeles (395) 8 concert; 10 program; 11 artists; 12 dance.

WHAS Courier Journal Louisville Times (400) 7:30-9 Happy Hoosier harmonists.

CKAC Montreal (425) 5 kiddies; 5:30 music; 6:30 orchestra; 8:30 dance.

WHN New York (360) 12:15-10 p. m. vaudeville, solos, orchestra, revue.

WEAF New York (492) 9 a. m. educational; 2-7 p. m. solos, children, music.

WOR Newark (405) 4:25 music, children.

KGO Oakland (312) 10 musical; 12 dance.

WOAW Omaha (526) 6 popular; 6:30 program; 9 orchestra.

WDAR Philadelphia (395) 5:30 talk.

WFI Philadelphia (395) 4:30 orchestra.

WIP Philadelphia (509) 4:05 orchestra; 5 talk; 6 concert; 6:50 band; 8 dance.

WCAE Pittsburgh (462) 4:30 music; 7:30 musical; 9 late show.

KDKA Pittsburgh (382) 5:30 children; 6:45 course; 7 concert; 9 concert.

KGW Portland (492) 10 orchestra.

KPO San Francisco (423) 9 orchestra; 10 program; 12 band.

WGY Schenectady (350) 6:45 musical.

WRZ Springfield (337) 4 music; 5:30 bedtime; 5:40 ensemble; 7 play; 7:30 musical.

WRC Washington (469) 7 piano; 7:15 talk; 7:30 violin; 7:45 songs; 8 talk; 8:15 trio.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Clarkburg, W. Va., Aug. 11.—The starting gun in the 1924 presidential race was sounded here today with the meeting of democratic leaders for the formal notification tonight to John W. Davis of his selection as standard bearer of the party.

Alignment of the democratic forces was to be completed with the ratification of the national committee of the selection of C. L. Shaver as its chairman. Mr. Davis was to present his field marshal and to outline to the representatives from the states his own ideas of how his campaign should be conducted.

Reorganization of the committee had been deferred until the time of the notification ceremonies as had been the selection of the chairman of the finance, executive and campaign committees.

While there is a disposition on the part of some members, the national committee to suggest amendments to the two thirds and unit rules, governing the national conventions, many leaders were inclined to postpone any consideration of such instructions.

After the committee, meeting Mr. Davis' program was left free for rest until the notification ceremonies at Goff Plaza, but it was expected that he would use the intervening time in conferences with those in command of the party battle lines.

Milwaukee Trains are Detoured Over R. I. Ry.

Chicago, Aug. 9.—All Rock Island trains were detoured over the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway between Moline, Illinois and Chicago today because of five washouts on the Illinois division in the heavy rain storm last night. No trains were run over the division today.

The Golden State Limited for California last night detoured over the Santa Fe from Joliet to Kansas City. Today the incoming Golden State Limited due at 4:55 central time was not expected until noon. The track washouts occurred at Bureau, Seneca, and Spring Valley.

Italy's high import duties and unfavorable exchange keeps foreign products from competing there.

By experience, should be the other main process of accident prevention. When it is realized that there are 15,000,000 automobile owners in this country at the present time and, possibly, three times as many occasional passengers of automobiles (which is, indeed, a modest estimate) and that only 2 per cent of these are habitually careful, the stupendity of the educational feature of prevention work is at once seen.

To reach this 3 per cent or the 450,000 drivers of automobiles who seem to have no consideration for their own or others' safety, educational work must be extended to all of the 15,000,000 owners. As a matter of fact, every man, woman and child must be reached in the proper manner. The future status of traffic on the highway is contingent upon the teaching of safety responsibility to children because each child is a potential automobile driver.

The public conscience must be aroused. When public opinion condemns the careless rather than lauds the daring, we shall be nearer to the elimination of these unnecessary crossing mishaps.

Tomorrow: History of the careful crossing campaign.

By growing some of these immune plants can be cut down. In greenhouses the nemas can be killed out by sterilizing the soil in the beds with steam.

An aerial defense gun that makes it impossible for anyone breathing it to ascend higher than 5000 feet is reported to have been invented in Germany.

The regular winds that sweep over the Sahara Desert create countless little ripples on the surface of the sand dunes.

A survey of the traffic hazards of Cincinnati is being planned.

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SPORT NEWS

COBB LEADS HIS TEAM TO DOUBLE VICTORY AND LEAD

"Aged" Leader of Tigers Stole Four Bases, Including Home Plate.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Inspired by their grey-bearded manager, Tyrus Cobb who favored his diamond-worn legs to the extent of stealing only four bases, the Detroit Tigers burgled first place right out of the hands of the Yankees whom they led today by one point. Washington and St. Louis, both of whom won, also profited by the world champion's downfall and advanced to within two and four games respectively, of the erstwhile pace-makers.

The Tigers wielded the butcher knife for a 13-7 triumph over Boston. Ty clobbered his second childhood with pilfers of second, third twice, and home.

By their 7-1 victory the Indians not only tumbled the Yanks out of first place but passed Chicago into fifth place, as the White Sox lost to Washington.

Although they did their best to surrender the game on errors, the St. Louis Browns gratefully accepted a 10-8 victory at the insistent urging of the Athletics.

Giants Trimmed Twice.
A part sided fling duel between Larry McMorridge of Washington and Lefty Cuyvers of Chicago ended with the former in possession of a 4-3 decision.

The Cincinnati Reds achieved the distinction of administering the first double defeat the Giants have sustained this season. The scores were 4-2 and 5-1. As a result of the twin setback, the league leaders now are seven games and a half ahead of Pittsburgh.

Not to be outdone, Brooklyn turned St. Louis back twice and maintained its game and a half advantage over the Reds. The first battle went ten innings before the Robins settled it by a score of 6-5. In the final, Dazzy Vance, strikeout artist par excellence, breezed through to an 8-4 win. After adding nine strikeout victims to his long list, Dazzy let up and gave the Cardinals a few consolation tallies.

Youthful Tennis Stars in Tournament: First Round
By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, Aug. 11.—Stars of the youthful tennis world today played their first round matches on the grass courts of the South Side Tennis club in the junior and boys' national tennis tournament.

George Lott, who won the Junior title last year, is defending his crown for the last time due to the age limit of 18 years.

Miss Cummings Hopes for Two Golf Championships
By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, Aug. 11.—To be both national and western golf champion, was the ambition that inspired Edith Cummings of Chicago, today, as she started on the 36-hole finals of the western championship with no less an opponent than Miriam Burns of Kansas City, who is defending her crown as holder of the western title. And Miss Burns has displayed better golf at times than Miss Cummings, having scored 87-45-52 in the semi-finals on a heavy course.

On the other hand Miss Cummings, in addition to a longer experience, is a member of Onwentsia, where the matches played, and knows the course's every cranny.

Madden Meets Canadian Champion This Evening
By Associated Press Leased Wire
New York, Aug. 11.—Bartley Madden, New York heavyweight, will meet Jack Renault, Canadian heavyweight in a ten round match tonight. No title is at stake, but the winner will be considered a candidate for Jack Dempsey's heavyweight crown.

Leonard and Moran Meet in Cleveland this Eve
By Associated Press Leased Wire
Cleveland, O., Aug. 11.—Benny Leonard, world's lightweight champion, and Pal Moran, New Orleans, were in excellent condition today for their scheduled ten-round no-decision bout at the Olympic Arena here tonight. It will be Leonard's first appearance in the ring since he met Johnny Mendeleo at Philadelphia last September.

They will enter the ring at catch weights, but it is likely Moran will be under the 135 pound limit. Leonard tipped the scales at 140½ pounds following his workout yesterday.

Scores of Young Golfers in Tournament this Week
By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, Aug. 11.—Scores of youths entered for the western junior golf championship practiced over the Briarcliff Links today for the event which starts tomorrow. For the first time 32 will qualify and the tournament will last four days. The present champion, Ira Couch of Chicago, will not play as he has passed the age limit of 20 years.

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Mount Everest, in the Himalayas, the highest mountain in the world, has an altitude of 29,002 feet.

Sleeping sickness has caused several deaths in Berlin in recent months.

HOW THEY STAND

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Detroit	61	47	.565
New York	62	48	.564
Washington	60	50	.545
St. Louis	57	53	.528
Chicago	51	56	.477
Cleveland	52	57	.477
Philadelphia	46	63	.422
Boston	45	62	.421

Yesterday's Results
Washington, 4; Chicago, 2.
Cleveland, 7; New York, 1.
Detroit, 13; Boston, 7.
St. Louis, 10; Philadelphia, 8.

Games Today
No games scheduled.

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	68	38	.642
Pittsburgh	59	44	.573
Chicago	58	47	.552
Brooklyn	58	50	.537
Cincinnati	58	53	.523
St. Louis	45	62	.421
Philadelphia	40	64	.385
Boston	39	67	.368

Yesterday's Results
Cincinnati, 4½; New York, 2½.
Brooklyn, 6½; St. Louis, 5½.
(No other games scheduled.)

Games Today
Chicago at Boston.
Pittsburgh at Philadelphia.
St. Louis at Brooklyn.
Cincinnati at New York.

MILLER LEADS ATTACK; SPEED BOYS DEFEATED

Dixon Man Hits Ball Often and Hard to Help Legion Win.

Sterling Legion again made it two straight for the edification of the fans taking Joliet Speedboys into camp 3 to 2 on Saturday and 10 to 8 yesterday. Ward Miller of Dixon led the attack against the Joliet team Sunday, getting three hits in four times up, one of them being a three bagger. He started hitting the first time up and from then on the Joliet boys looked foolish.

Nexa Saturday and Sunday the Aurora Legion team, which Sterling has defeated two out of three times this year—the only two defeats the Aurora team has suffered—return to Sterling for two battles to decide the championship of Legion teams of the state. Two enormous crowds are looking for.

Scores of Saturday and Sunday games:
Saturday's Game
Sterling vs. Joliet
Clark ss 3 0 0 0 0
Feden, cf 3 1 1 0 0
Miller, rf 4 0 0 1 0
Williams, lf 4 0 1 2 0
Knyble, 3b 2 1 0 7 2
Croake, 1b 4 1 1 8 0
Kernan, 2b 3 0 1 1 0
Howe, c 4 0 2 7 0
Woodhouse, p 3 0 0 4 0

Sunday's Game
Joliet vs. Sterling
Upton, lf 4 0 1 3 0
Wallace, 2b 4 0 1 3 2
Larson, ss 4 0 0 7 0
Flynn, 3b 4 2 2 2 0
Weese, rf 4 0 1 1 0
Farrell, 1b 4 0 1 7 0
Farek, cf 4 0 0 3 0
Gregory, c 3 0 0 9 1
Schwartz, p 3 0 0 0 0

Score by innings:
Joliet Speedboys 010 000 100—2
Sterling 000 110 01X—3
Two base hits—Weese, Flynn.
Struck out: Woodhouse 7; Schwartz, 5.

Base on balls—Schwartz 4.
Umpire—W. McEvoy.

Sunday's Game
Sterling vs. Joliet
Clark ss 5 0 2 5 0
Feden, cf 4 1 0 2 1
Miller, rf 4 3 3 0 0
Williams, lf 2 2 2 2 1
Knyble, 3b 2 2 3 6 0
Croake, 1b 4 1 1 8 0
Kernan, 2b 4 1 2 5 0
Howe, c 4 0 0 5 0
Benton, p 4 0 0 7 0

Joliet
Upton, lf, p 5 0 1 3 0
Wallace, 2b 4 1 0 5 2
Larson, ss 3 0 1 1 0
Flynn, 3b 5 1 3 6 1
Weese, rf 3 1 1 0 0
Farrell, 1b 2 0 1 5 0
Farek, cf 4 0 0 5 0
F. Gerb, rf 4 0 1 1 0
F. Gerb, c 3 0 1 7 0
Schwartz, p 1 0 0 0 0

Score by innings:
Joliet 011 000 001—3
Sterling 202 012 30X—10
Three base hit—Miller.
Two base hits—Williams, 2; Croake, F. Gergerich, J. Gergerich.
Struck out—Benton 4; Schwartz 1.
Bases on balls—Benton 5; Weese, 1; Schwartz 1.
Umpire—W. McEvoy.

Helen Willis Makes First Appearance Since Paris
By Associated Press Leased Wire
New York, Aug. 11.—Opening play in the National Women's singles championship on the courts of the West Side Tennis Club at Forest Hills today will find Miss Helen Willis, 1923 champion and winner of the 1924 Olympic championship, paired with Mrs. L. C. Beaupre in the first round match in defense of her title.

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RUTH FORCED TO TAKE AFTER OWN RECORD THIS YEAR

Bambino Has Accumulated All Records in Sight This Season.

Chicago, Aug. 9.—Having acquired all the batting leadership in the American League, Babe Ruth is now out after his own personal records and in averages including the games of Wednesday, within three home runs of his August standing in 1921, the year he pushed his home run record up to 59. The Babe has also crossed the 400 mark in batting for his first time, due to eighteen hits, including four home runs in the past week. His best previous record was 293 for the 1923 season. The four homers raised his total to 36 so far this year.

Ruth has a scoring average of little better than one run a game, as he has played in 197 games and registered 108 times. He has the field to himself in total bases with a total of 292, a result of 147 hits, which includes his four-baggers, include 25 doubles and 6 triples.

Bill Falk of Chicago continues in second place with 332 and Arch-deacon, another Chicagoan is third with 357. Eddie Collins, captain of the White Sox, has the base stealing field all to himself. He is blazing the trail with 31 thefts.

Other leading batters for 69 or more games: Jamieson, Cleveland, 346; Sheely, Chicago, 344; E. Collins, Chicago, 343; Cobb, Detroit, 335; Goslin, Washington, 337; Boone, Boston, 335; and Heilmann, Detroit, 334.

Hornby Fell Off.
Rogers Hornby, champion batter of the National League has been looking at some high class twirling in the past week and as a result, the Cardinal slugger star, has suffered a slump in his hitting, but he managed to connect enough times to remain above the 400 mark. Hornby is out in front with 403 and has increased his lead in total bases to 246, his 153 hits including 26 doubles, 11 triples and 15 homers.

Zack Wheat, the veteran Dodger outfielder, also fell off with his stick work and is trailing Hornby with 373, while Cuyler of Pittsburgh is in third place with 369, a few points in front of Ed Roush of the Reds, who is making rapid strides toward the top of the percentage ladder. Roush is hitting .357.

Jack Fournier, slugging first baseman of the Dodgers, was unable to add to his string of 22 homers, but margin is great enough to assure him the leadership for some time.

The base stealers have not been as active as usual. Max Carey, the fleet-footed Pirate, swiped one base however, and widened the gap between himself and Cliff Heathcote, of the Cubs, who is trailing the Pirates' burglar with 20. Carey has swiped 25.

Frank Frisch, star of the Giants infield, is setting a hot pace among the run getters, having registered 80 times, a gain of three over the previous week.

Other leading batters:
Bressler, Cincinnati, 347; Young, New York, 342; Fournier, Brooklyn, 341; Hartnett, Chicago, 328; Blades, St. Louis, 327; Kelly, New York, 326.

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Kingdom Farmers Bought Farm Home Near Nachusa

Kingdom—The William Floto family entertained 30 of the Floto relatives at dinner recently.

Mrs. Fred Schumacher of Pomeroy, Iowa, was a visitor at the Leonard Strouse and William Morris homes last week.

Mrs. William Morris and children, John, Lawrence and Alice May, Mrs. Leonard Stevens and son, Bobbie, were week end visitors at Yorkville.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bremer and daughters of Chicago were over night visitors at the John Bachman home. They were on their way by auto to St. Joseph, Mo., and Aitchison, Kansas, to spend their vacation.

Jabe Stevens and son, Dr. Robert Stevens and family of Rochelle, were Sunday guests at the Charles Henry home. Mr. Stevens is a brother of Joseph Stevens and was born and raised in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McGinnis and family and Mrs. Caldwell of Dixon were Sunday callers at the John Bachman home.

Fred Gates and family motored to the northeast part of Ogle county Sunday.

The William Floto and Harry Hintz families were Sunday dinner guests at the Henry Floto home in Dixon.

Mrs. Leonard Stevens is recovering from a siege of mumps.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Morris and family from near Daysville were Sunday visitors at the home of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Sanford.

Mrs. William Morris and Mrs. Leonard Stevens were sponsors for a picnic dinner at the John Morris woods Sunday. The picnicers were brothers and sisters with their families of the ladies and those present were Mr. and Mrs. White and children from Walnut, Mr. and Mrs. White and family from near Eldora; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barclay and son of Yorkville; Charles Schumacher and family of Aurora, Hernert Schumacher and family of Grand Detour; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schumacher of Dixon.

Mrs. Frank Barclay and son of Yorkville are spending two weeks with friends and relatives in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kreger have purchased the Miller farm near Nachusa and will move onto it March 1. Mr. and Mrs. Kreger have been residents of this community for 14 years, living on the Gene Stiles farm, and they surely will be missed by their neighbors.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Baid and son, Allen of Dixon were callers at the John Bachman home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Floto were visitors at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Floto.

Lawrence Morris spent last week with his aunt in Yorkville.

Joe Henry is spending part of his vacation with Robert Stevens in Rochelle.

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TOMORROW—The Letter continued.

CHICAGO OPERAS MORE ELABORATE THAN IN EUROPE

High Standard of Productions Shown By Comparisons.

By Richard C. Burritt.
A wanderer through opera-land return to Chicago with at least one thought planted deep as a religious belief and as strongly as a scientific certainty. And that, that nowhere in the world is grand opera presented on a more splendid scale and by better artists than it is presented by the Chicago Civic Opera Company at its home theater, the Auditorium.

The two great opera companies in the United States, the Chicago company and the Metropolitan of New York, have under contract practically all of the great artists to be found anywhere. Their orchestras and their chorus and their production as a whole are second to none, and, so much greater and finer than those that, to compare the great American companies with the majority of those abroad, save for one extraordinary institution—La Scala, at Milan—is nothing short of musical sacrilege.

A wanderer through opera land abroad, having heard packed audience in famous theaters cheer second rate performances and applaud artists who would not be acceptable, for instance, in Chicago except for minor roles or as spare carrels, cannot but feel that Chicago audiences, as a whole, have no conception of the artistic value of the performances that are offered there night after night for eleven and one-half weeks.

It would appear that a real appreciation of the performances by the Chicago Civic Opera Company will, to a large extent, always be lacking in so far as Chicago audiences are concerned for Chicago audiences do not have a basis of comparison that makes the performances of the Chicago company stand out in the light of their true worth.

Opera is being given in most countries in Europe today, and acceptable too to those countries, that Chicagoans would not tolerate. As a matter of fact if the Chicago company would offer its subscribers and patrons such as those that are the rule in most opera houses in Europe the company would lose its subscribers. They would walk out in body. The company could not continue. Chicago would refuse to listen. In one week the city would turn a cold shoulder.

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SYNOPSIS

Sir Oliver Trevellick is betrothed to Rosamund Godolphin, but the marriage is opposed by Rosamund's father, Peter, and her guardian Sir John Killybrew. When Oliver's young half-brother, Lionel, kills Peter in a quarrel suspicion falls on Oliver. A trail of blood is found leading from the body to his doorway. Even Rosamund believes him guilty. Desiring to protect Lionel, Oliver can only protest his innocence; but he obtains from the justices a document, to be produced in case of trial, attesting to the fact that he bears no mark of recent wound; that therefore the trail of blood, obviously that of the murderer, is not his. A few weeks later trial threatens; and Lionel, amazed with fear that Oliver will reveal the truth, hires a pirate captain, Jasper Leigh, to abduct him and sell him as a galley-slave. With Oliver's disappearance it is assumed he has fled to escape trial. Out at sea Leigh offers, for a price, to take Oliver back to England, and is about to turn back when a great Spanish ship bears down upon them, her guns in action. The Swallow, unarmed, is sunk.

From ambush Sak-el-Bahr, the Hawk of the Sea, directs his own two galleys in an attack on a Spanish ship which has drifted into a haven on the northern coast of Africa. The Spaniard, unprepared, surrenders after a brief engagement.

in the chronicles of Lord Henry
Conde.

Str Oliver was one of a score of men who were rescued from the sea by the crew of the Spanish vessel that had sunk the Swallow; another was Jasper Leigh, the skipper. All of them were carried to Lisbon, and there handed over to the Court of the Holy Office. Since they were heretics all—or nearly all—it was fit and proper that the Brethren of St. Dominic should undertake their conversion in the first place.

Sir Oliver came of a family that never had been famed for rigidity in religious matters, and he was certainly not going to burn alive if the adoption of the men's opinions upon an extremely hypothetical future state would suffice to save him from the stake. He accepted Catholic baptism with an almost contemptuous indifference. As for Jasper Leigh, it will be conceived that the elasticity of the skipper's conscience was no less than Sir Oliver's, and he was certainly not the man to be roasted for a trifle of faith.

No doubt there would be great rejoicings in the Holy House over the rescue of these two unfortunate souls from the certain perdition that had awaited them. It followed that as converts to the Faith they were warmly cherished, and tears of thanksgiving were profusely shed over them. So much for their heresy. They were completely purged of it, having done penance in proper

He almost regretted that he had given himself the trouble to accept conversion and all that it entailed at the hands of the Bishop of St. Domingo. It began to appear to him that he had but wasted time and escaped the certain fate of being hanged on a secular gall as an outlaw to the royal roads of out-raged Spain.

So much, however, was not done. The galleys in the Mediterranean were in urgent need of men at this circumstance. Sir Other, Captain Leigh, and some of the others of the luckless crew of the *Swallow* were their lives, though it was to be doubted whether any of them found the matter easy for consideration. Chained each man to a short anchor of his own, with but a faint gleam of light between, they formed part of a considerable herd of unfortunate who were driven across Portugal into Spain and then southward to Cadiz.

(To Be Continued)

How it came to happen that Sabir el-Bahr, the Hawk of the Sea, the Moslem rover, the scourge of the Mediterranean, the terror of Christians and the beloved of Asad-Din, Baba of Aghirts, would be one and the same as Sir Oliver Trevelyan, the Cornish gentleman of Penarrow, is at long length set forth.

heard, sitting in this tiny, then in a new, bedchamber, he looked about him at the ocean of swarthy faces under turbans of all colors, and back again at Sakre-Bahar. "God's Health," he said at last, in English, to vent his infinite amazement. Then reverting to the conventional manner that he had ever at school and officing all his life, he said: "I suppose I'll give you self the pleasure of handing me."

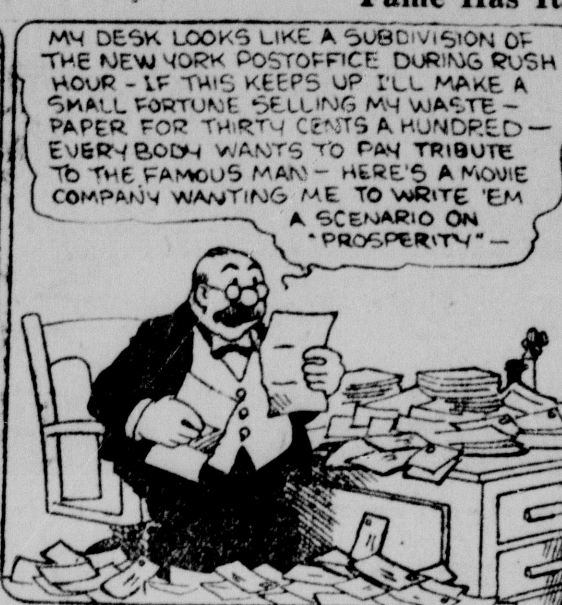
"Allah is Great!" said Sakre-Bahar impassively.

at Lisbon, came in hand and was released. The Circuit Court dismissed them with the blessing and an injunction to keep away from the ways of salvation. A rejoinder. They were, as a consequence, thrown back upon the secular authorities, and the second time they had yet to punish them for their offense upon this score. It was true, but the courts were provoked by this lack of offense. They reasoned, but the natural result of a lack of opportunity. Conversely, they doubted that with the opportunity of the offense would have been anything coming. Their assurance of this was based upon the fact that the Spanish had across the bow of the swallow as an invitation to leave to she had kept upon her own course. This was unanswerable. Castilian logic was the evil consequence of her skipper proven. Captain Lelch protested on this other hand that his action had been dictated by his lack of faith in Spaniards and his firm belief that all Spaniards were pirates to be avoided by every honest seaman. He was conscious of inferiority of strength of character. It was a plea that was him no favor with his narrow-minded judges. Sir Oveer recently uttered that man was found himself aboard the *Swallow*. The victim of a villainous piece of treachery executed by his captain. The court heard his plea with respect, and asked to know his name and rank. He was extremely as to answer truthfully. The result was extremely enabling his judges to reach to him most of that portion of the life that had been spent upon the sea, and many an awkward little circumstance which had slipped his memory long since, which he now recalled, and which certainly was not calculated to make his sentence lighter.

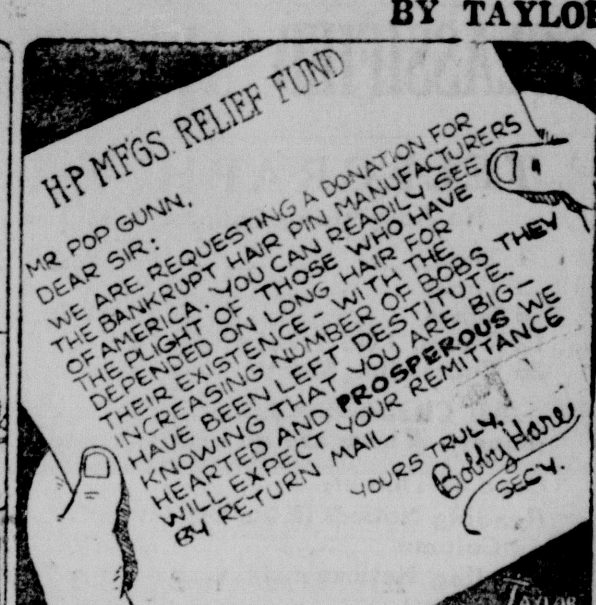
Had he not been in the Barbados in such a year, and had he not there captured the gallion *Maria de la Doiores*? What was that but he not scuttled a Spanish carrack four years ago in the bay of Puerto Havin in the gulf at San Juan de Ulloa? And so on. Questions poured upon him and he

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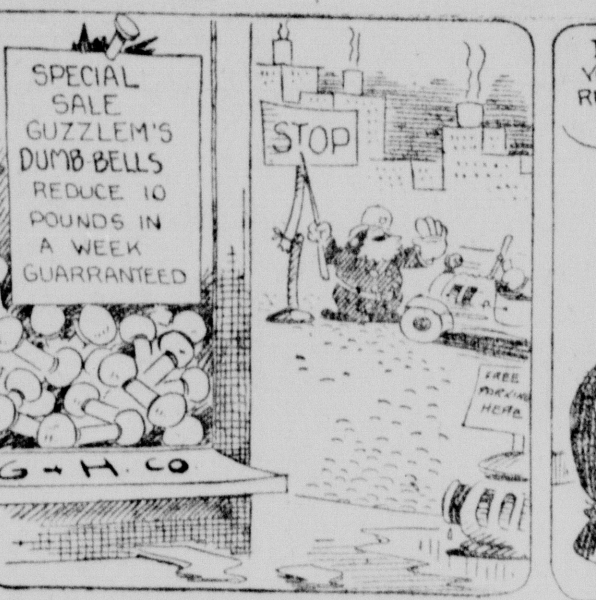


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One-Button Flannels

That a style is confessedly English is no reason for adopting it, but no more is it a reason for avoiding it. Didn't our own Ralph Waldo Emerson say: "I find the Englishman to be him of all men who stands firmest in his shoes." He may be set and stiff-necked in some of his notions, but none can dispute that of all races he has contributed most to the establishment and development of the Fine Art of Dress as it is modernly understood. For example, the worldwide vogue of "plus four" knickers and of the Fair Isle sweater is directly traceable to the Prince of Wales, who, as the future "first gentleman of Europe," loses no opportunity to introduce new and smart styles in England and on the Continent and, eventually, in America.

The white flannel suit is an English fashion which, up to now has not made much progress in this country, but which is inching in. It has much to recommend it in its crisp cool appearance for country and knockabout wear. The lighter weights are more sought for in this climate. How such a suit looks is illustrated in the accompanying sketch. This style fastens with a single button, just enough to give it an anchorage. It has a broad collar with a low notch; generous lapels rolling down to the button; a rounded off front and plain or patch pockets. The trousers are full-draped and wide at the bottom. A waistcoat may be worn, but it is customarily omitted.

It may be objected that a suit of this type is noticeable, but what men's dress most needs today is noticeably bolder colors. We wear too many daze ones that look hot and heavy. Coolness can only be conveyed by the use of lighter, brighter shades in both the essentials and the incidentals of our clothes. That accounts for the periodical attempts to introduce white Tuxedo suits for sultry Summer nights. They have never been adopted and, perhaps, never will be, but this tendency is symptomatic of the wish to dress more in season and in reason.

WHY SHOULD A FACTORY COME TO THIS TOWN?

Pertinent Question is Asked By Illinois Chamber Commerce.

Chicago—What special advantages has your city to attract new capital? "What particular sort of industry is your city peculiarly fitted to take care of, better than it can be taken care of anywhere else in Illinois?" "What can you say for yourself that a thousand other cities in the United States can not say of themselves with equal truth and force?" "Have you 'taken stock' of yourselves and prepared to convince a manufacturer, from a dollars-and-cents standpoint, that his business and his employees would be better off in your town than anywhere else on earth?"

Chamber of Commerce in thirty wide-awake Illinois cities are preparing to answer such questions as the above at the Illinois Products Exposition, to be held Oct. 9-18, inclusive, in the new American Exposition Palace, 656 Lake Shore Drive, Chicago, under the auspices of the Illinois Chamber of Commerce.

Chicago to Answer All The swift-acting and hard-hitting Foreign and Domestic Trade committee of the Chicago Association of Commerce has engaged a choice booth at the Exposition and defies the world to bring it a question concerning Chicago that it cannot answer "off the bat."

But the Chicago sharpshooters are wise enough to know that they will not have the field to themselves in the tussle for new industries. They expect some smart competition from downstate. They realize that it will be "Chicago against the field," when the sprightly cities of the state outside swing into action and begin to sing of the wonderland in which they nestle.

Nor is it the larger cities alone of which Chicago expects the hardest competition in the friendly rivalry for additional payrolls and population. That "many a little city packs a sifter punch than its own people realize," is an axiom among the experts in such matters. If all them should wake up at once and lay their goods on the counter the map of Illinois would undergo a vast change in five years, say the wisecracks.

Many Cities Entered Those most interested in attracting new industries, of course, hope that the undiscovered violets will sleep on forever. The fewer entries in the race, they argue, the better for those who had wisdom enough to enter. As might be expected, Peoria, Rockford, Decatur, Rock Island, Joliet, LaSalle, Bloomington, DeKalb, Cairo, Jacksonville, Danville, Springfield, Moline, Elgin, Waukegan, Galesburg, and other centers, where zeal is a community asset, have contracted for space in which they will tell the world why they are good and getting better.

But who expected Sycamore to line up in the Big League? And Lawrenceville and Union County, and Hardin County? Among the other places that have been placed on the map by enterprising local concerns are Abingdon, Wood River, Naperville, Park Ridge, Cicero, Chicago Heights and Belvidere.

With the time for the final roll call of Blue-Ribbon towns fast approaching, John H. Camlin, president of the Illinois Chamber of Commerce, announces that but little unreserved space remains.

"I hope there will be no regrets," said Mr. Camlin today, "among cities that have failed to enter."

TIME TABLES

The following tables, corrected to date show the leaving time for all passenger trains on the C. & N. W. and I. C. railroads.

Northwestern.

EAST BOUND

No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Chicago
 14 Daily.....5:47 a.m. 8:20 a.m.
 24 Daily, Ex Sun 6:52 a.m. 10:10 a.m.
 18 Daily.....7:03 a.m. 9:59 a.m.
 26 Daily.....7:18 a.m. 9:55 p.m.
 4 Ex. Sunday.....7:30 p.m. 7:30 p.m.
 12 Daily.....8:13 p.m. 8:45 p.m.
 100 Sun. only.....8:18 p.m. 1:25 p.m.

WEST BOUND

No. Lv. Chicago Ar. Dixon
 3 Daily.....12:15 a.m. 2:55 a.m.
 15 Daily, Ex Sun 6:30 a.m. 10:08 a.m.
 18 Daily.....10:30 a.m. 12:51 p.m.
 23 Daily.....10:30 a.m. 1:06 p.m.
 23 Daily, Ex Sun 5:01 p.m. 8:07 p.m.
 11 Daily.....6:08 a.m. 8:54 a.m.
 *7 Daily.....8:00 p.m. 10:18 p.m.
 *1 Daily.....8:10 p.m. 10:32 p.m.
 31 Daily.....10:10 p.m. 1:09 p.m.
 200 Sunday only 4:04 p.m. 7:55 p.m.

PEORIA PASSENGER

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No. 7 stops at Dixon for first-class sleeping car passengers for Des Moines or for Salt Lake City or beyond.
 No. 1 stops at Dixon for first-class sleeping car passengers for Cheyenne, Wyoming, or beyond.

Illinois Central.

SOUTH BOUND

No. Lv. Freeport Ar. Dixon
 119 Ex. Sunday.....6:00 a.m. 7:20 a.m.
 122 Daily.....9:45 a.m. 10:52 a.m.
 121 Ex. Sunday.....3:45 p.m. 4:50 p.m.

NORTH BOUND

No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Freeport
 122 Ex. Sunday.....9:55 a.m. 11:10 a.m.
 120 Daily.....6:12 p.m. 6:25 p.m.
 124 Ex. Sunday.....8:58 p.m. 10:10 p.m.

that may have failed to recognize the best thing of its kind that has happened in Illinois in the 105 years of her history as a state.

Two New Butter Records Made by Illinois Cows

Chicago—Announcement of two new Illinois records for butter production among Holstein cows, was made here today by the registry department of the Holstein Friesian Association of America.

Brownwood Pledge De Kol is now the state's leading cow of the breed for production in ten months as a senior four-year-old. Her record, 16,281.6 pounds milk containing 541.91 pounds butter fat, equal to 677.3 pounds butter. She is owned by H. M. Wood, of Delevan.

For thirty days' production as a junior two-year-old, Johanna Echo of Senator Medill McCormick's Rock River herd at Byron, now holds the state's highest record with a production of 1,285.7 pounds milk and 73.169 pounds butter fat, equivalent to 91.45 pounds butter.

One Killed in Storm

at Canton Last Night

Canton, Ill., Aug. 9.—One man was killed and thousands of dollars of damage done in a wind storm that swept over Fulton county last night.

Charles Varney was struck by lightning while standing on his porch. Roofs were blown from houses, telephone and telegraph poles were snapped off and trees leveled. Grain was flattened by wind and rain.

The NERVOUS WRECK

by E. J. Rath

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BEGIN HERE TODAY

The "Nervous Wreck," an eccentric young easterner, drives Sally Morgan, daughter of a Montana ranch owner, over a rough, uncertain trail from the ranch to the railroad station.

Now GO ON WITH THE STORY. Probably she dreamed. But she was never quite sure of it, because if it began as a dream it ended as something that really happened. There was a rhythmic throbbing in her ears, and as she came slowly and reluctantly to consciousness it grew steadily louder. There was a mechanical regularity about it that reminded her of the windmill at the Bar M, but she realized an instant later that she was not in her own home. And it wasn't a windmill, either; it was more like an engine. Her eyes were blinking now. Why, it was an automobile!

Sally uncurred herself and straightened up in the big chair. If Henry Williams had resurrected that flivver, if he had found that wheel, if he had been in a fight with Charley McSwen—well, then he was going to have some first-class trouble on his hands. Her ears were sharper now; she was completely awake. She listened a second or two longer. No; it was not the flivver. It was a different kind of an engine, more orderly and dignified, weathered, she guessed, forward and pushed aside a corner of the curtain. The thing that made the noise had just come to a stop outside. Sally stared at it with round eyes.

"Why, I believe—Oh, it is!" She slipped out of the chair with the sudden speed of a cat and raced in the direction of the kitchen.

"They've trailed us!" she gasped, as she ran.

CHAPTER VIII

Hiding Out

AS Sally charged into the kitchen by way of the pantry, the Wreck was coming in through the door that opened on the yard. He stared at her in plain surprise. He did not know she could run so fast.

"What's the hurry?" he asked, mildly.

"We're trailed!"

"Trailed? What do you mean?"

"Have they seen you?" she panted.

"Who? What are you talking about? I haven't seen anybody but some horses down in the corral."

"Well, we're trailed all right, Henry Williams. They're out in the front now!"

"Who's out in front?"

"The people you stuck up—the big car!"

The Wreck lifted his eyebrows, looked thoughtful for an instant, then began squaring his shoulders.

"Oh, all right," he said. "We'll stick 'em up again."

Sally groaned.

"We've got to get out of here," she said, sharply. "We've got to make a getaway. We'll get a couple of horses down at the corral before they see us. You'll just have to ride."

It was a desperate thing to contemplate the Wreck on horseback, but it seemed the only chance.

"Oh, I can ride," he said. "I can stick 'em up. Only it's easier to stick 'em up. 'We'll take their car!'"

Sally shook her head angrily.

"No, you idiot!" she cried. "We'll take horses, if we get a chance at them. Hurry!"

"Of all the awful luck," continued

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"Sally, in an awed whisper. 'To think that we walked right into his hands. I knew there was something queer about this place the minute I took a look around the house.'"

"Well, what do we do now? Swipe the horses?"

Sally considered, then shook her head slowly.

"No, I think we'd better wait now. I don't believe it's quite as bad as I thought. You see, they didn't trail us here, after all. They were coming, anyhow. Probably they don't know we're here; if they did, we'd have heard from it before this. We've got to figure this out now—carefully. The main thing is to keep them from seeing you. That's why I wouldn't let you go out to help with the baggage."

He was not a good hand at playing a waiting game, and said so. He was still in favor of going out and taking the big car, a feat which presented to Sally no considerations of dismay. But Sally sharply ordered him to put the idea out of his head.

The situation bewildered her, but she did not think it had yet reached a crisis. Nobody in the car had seen her; it was very unlikely that they even knew their hold-up man had a girl with him. So long as she could keep the Wreck out of their sight and as long as the flivver remained locked up in a shed, there was still a chance to figure something out. But how utterly exasperating it was! Just when she was satisfied that they had blundered into a safe hide-out, she discovered that they had really walked into the lion's den.

"The thing to do, of course, is to keep them from seeing you," she said. "You'll have to stay in the kitchen all the time, I'm afraid. I don't suppose they'll come in here."

"They're not going to coop me up in a kitchen," he growled. "Besides, it was dark last night, anyhow. They didn't get a good look at me. I had my cap pulled down."

Charley came into the kitchen again.

"We got that baggage in, thanks to nobody that washes dishes," he said. "And now, ma'am, I'll have to ask you to hustle dinner. They're real hungry."

"They'll have dinner just as soon as I can get it," said Sally, promptly.

The Wreck regarded her with a look of amazed disappointment. Was she going to turn to and cook for a hog? It was enough to be drafted as cook for an unknown, but to do chores for your enemy was humiliation. He was about to speak when she stopped him with a look.

"Seems they didn't get any regular breakfast, except crackers, which they had with 'em," explained Charley. "That leaves 'em kind of hungry. They got hung up on the road. In fact, they got held up."

"You don't mean it?" exclaimed Sally, who was digging into the flour barrel, as a first step in the direction of making biscuits.

"Oh, it don't seem like it was serious, ma'am. That is, there wasn't anybody got shot. Feller just took watches and valuables and left 'em flat without any gas."

Sally ventured a look at the Wreck. He seemed to be curiously elated.

"It's been done before," said Charley, who was slightly bored. "It ain't anything to what they used to do. Only the boss is pretty well stirred up, which maybe is natural enough. He comes from the east, where they don't know anything about such things."

The Wreck was standing near a window, polishing his spectacles. It was Sally's first conscious glimpse of him without the horn rims. He gave her a swift impression of being another person. But there was no time to study him; Charley was too interesting.

"Who is the boss?" she asked, trying to be indifferent.

"His name is Underwood," said Charley. "He's from New York. It's funny the way those New Yorkers buy themselves places that take such a pile of travel to get to. And he don't come here often, but once a year. This time he drove all the way. It don't sound reasonable, but he did. He's got his boy and girl with him. I expect he'll stay a few weeks."

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CORNELL COLLEGE YOUNG PEOPLE AT FRANKLIN CAMP

Spent Several Days in Delightful Camping Ground in Village.

Franklin Grove, August 7.—Forty-eight friends and relatives gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Lookingland, Sunday, for the purpose of helping Mr. Lookingland celebrate the 70th anniversary of his birthday. "Jim" was really the youngest one there. The beautiful birthday cake, on which were seventy candles of red, white and blue, was made by his sister, Mrs. Will Lett. Jim has a large circle of friends who are wishing him many more happy birthdays. Those present to enjoy the happy occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. Howard and Miss Annie Lookingland of Sandwich, Mr. and Mrs. George Lookingland and family, Mr. and Mrs. Will Lett and son, Lester, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Sanders and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dorey Buck and family, Mrs. Laura Miller and daughter, Miss Grace, Miss Soloma and Dr. Lucie Lookingland, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Miller and daughter, Mary Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Louis King and family, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Graves and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Mong and son, Mr. George Mong and Frank Goetzberger.

Miss Garnet Bill is visiting at the home of her cousin, Miss Elsie Wintern at Nachusa.

Miss Elsie Lett left Saturday morning for Chicago where she will visit a week and then go to Detroit, Mich., where she will visit with friends until the first of September. Mrs. Virgie Crawford and daughter Miss Lols are staying with Mrs. Susan Lett during Miss Elsie's absence.

Mrs. L. A. Trottnow visited at the home of Mrs. Blanche Faust in Oak Park from Saturday until Monday.

The auxiliary to the American Legion, Aultenberg Post, are meeting this afternoon with Mrs. Arthur Crawford. The ladies are very busy sewing carpet bags to make rugs for hospitals.

Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Trimble of Omaha, Neb., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Peterson, Mrs. Trimble and Mrs. Peterson are sisters.

Circuit Clerk E. S. Rosecrans of Dixon was here this afternoon to enjoy the swimming pool. The pool is becoming more and more popular with out-of-town folks. A large number were here from Dixon, Ambloy and Ashton this afternoon and by 4:00 o'clock there were 75 in the pool. It sure is a good, clean sport for all.

Raymond Crawford of Nachusa is visiting at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Anderson.

Misses Esther and Pearl Hansen, who have been attending Northwestern University at Evanston, visited a few days this week at the home of their uncle, Fred Hansen. The young ladies are on their way to the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Hansen at Villisca, Iowa.

Mrs. Herman Bettin and son of Chicago are visiting at the home of Mrs. Bettin of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Utz were Sunday visitors at the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Utz, near Ashton.

Mrs. Paul Kastler and son, Gordon, of Eagle Grove were guests last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Weigle. On Sunday they left for Chicago for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Meddie Hussey entertained with a 6 o'clock dinner last evening. C. D. Hussey, D. C. Hussey, Mrs. Courtney Trostle and children, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Mossholder.

Mr. and Mrs. David Harris, Mrs. Harry Bratton and Miss Lydia Raffensberger were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Blocher.

Miss Gertrude Weigle went to Clinton, Iowa, Sunday where she enjoyed the excursion on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Reigle and daughter, Miss Bertha, motored to Beloit, Wis., Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Senger expect to leave next Thursday for Waynesboro, Pa., for a visit of several weeks.

Helen Louise Senger is entertaining ten of her little friends this afternoon with a real party.

A party of fourteen young people who attend the Cornell College at Mt. Vernon, Iowa, camped on the camp grounds over the week end. They were chaperoned by Mrs. T. K. Gale, of Evanston.

Dr. and Mrs. Maxwell and Mr. and Mrs. Archie Maxwell of Sterling were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Weigle.

C. D. Hussey has so far improved in health that he was able to be down town Friday greeting his many friends. "Lum" has a lot of friends who were not on the Main street to greet him who are glad to know that he was able to be down town and hope he will come again soon.

Mrs. Horace Dysart was called to

ABE MARTIN



If some folks didn't take a vacation they'd never get one. There seems to be something about being beautiful that keeps a girl from being an expert stenographer or a champion swimmer.

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Chicago today by the death of her aunt, Mrs. Full.

Mr. and Mrs. George Martin and son of Chicago were visitors yesterday and today at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dymert. Mrs. Martin will be remembered as Lucille McGregor, formerly of this place.

Mrs. J. M. Elzmann of Portsmouth, Ohio, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Heckman. She will be remembered as Miss Ida Lane.

Mrs. Will Phillips and daughter, Miss Ruth and son, Clark, Miss Evelyn Patch, Virgil Patch and Roy Shoemaker are camping at Devils Lake, Wis.

George Bratton, Mahlon Bratton, Ross Bratton, Mr. and Mrs. Len Bratton, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Speck, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Chronister, Mrs. Lizzie Chronister, Mrs. Mary Bratton and Miss Nona Buck were in Dixon, Wednesday, attending the funeral of John MacPherson. Mrs. MacPherson was formerly Katherine Bratton of this place.

Mrs. Harold Cullen and daughter of Dubuque, Iowa, are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Romeo Smith.

Mrs. Harry Smith and daughter, Miss Laura Smith of Coffeyville, Kansas, are visiting Mrs. Mathe at the A. P. Dierdorf home. Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Mathe are sisters.

L. Brewer of Chicago was a Franklin Grove visitor, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Smith of Elgin were week end guests at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Romeo Smith.

Mrs. and Mrs. Harry Wolf arrived here yesterday from their honeymoon in Indiana, and will make their future home with Emory Wolf.

W. L. Sheap has so far recovered from his accident that he was able to remove a part of the cast before he went to Chicago, Thursday. Lloyd has a host of friends who are glad to see him on our streets.

Dr. Chase of Dixon was a Sunday visitor at the Chas. Bill home, south of town.

Kenneth Gross and Lowell Trottnow went to Chicago, Saturday, where they are spending the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kuehn. Mrs. Kuehn was formerly Miss Helen Davidson who taught school here last year.

Miss Janet Hussey is visiting at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Hussey at Burlington.

Postmaster and Mrs. George Spangler are enjoying a vacation at the Delles in Wisconsin. F. H. Maronde is assisting in the postoffice.

Mr. and Mrs. Day and three children have rented the vacant rooms from Mrs. Louis Mattern.

Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Hussey and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Moss holder, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Zarger, Mr. and Mrs. Medroe Hussey, Mrs. Courtney Trostle and family motored to Burlington, Sunday and spent the day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Hussey.

Frank Scott left Monday for his home in Annulla, after having visited at the home of his sister, Mrs. O. D. Lahman.

Mrs. George Smith and daughter of Huxton, Iowa, were week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles, Sunday.

E. E. Miller was out from Chicago over the week end.

Daniel Hartzell of Nachusa passed away, Sunday evening at his home about 7 o'clock. "Uncle Dan" was well known not only in his home town and this place, but far and near, and all had a good word to say of him.

Daniel K. Hartzell was born in Big

terville, Ia., June 5, 1833 and died August 3, 1924, at the age of 91 years, 1 month and 28 days. He enlisted, August 13, 1862 in Co. G, 138th Reg. Penn. Inf., and was honorably discharged from service, October 5, 1863. He was married to Mrs. Kate Reigle, of Bigterville, Pa., October, 1854, who preceded him in death, March 1, 1912. Nine children were born to this union, four of whom are left to mourn their father: Harry of Wyoming; Mrs. Annie Ayres at home; Frank of this place and Mrs. Ella Stephenson of Saskatoon, Canada. Mr. Hartzell came to this place from the east and resided for a while, after which he moved to Iowa and thence to Kansas, but as he often said, there was no place like Lee county, he came back about thirty five years ago. Funeral services were held in the Nachusa Lutheran church, Wednesday afternoon, with interment at the Emmert cemetery, west of town. The floral offering and the large attendance at the funeral proved the high esteem in which he was held.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bratton and daughter of Rockford and Mrs. Clyde Speck of this place returned from their motor trip through Iowa. They report Mr. Swickard, their brother-in-law, as doing as well as could be expected since his accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Orelle Miller entertained with dinner Sunday, his cousins: Mrs. Ella Russell, Mr. and Mrs. John Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Dunbar of Muscatine, Iowa, were week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Conlon. Mrs. Dunbar and John Russell are Mrs. Russell's children, former residents of this place.

Mrs. Minnie Miller Pencer of Western, Iowa, was a week end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Miller.

Dr. Grim visited several days this week with his aunt at Pontiac.

Mrs. Mary Madden was a Dixon visitor Sunday.

The Franklin Grove Library Association has recently completed the retooling of the books in the library and installing the Dewey system of accounting. This is the new system now in use in most of the libraries of the country. One may appreciate the size of this work when they realize that the library now comprises over two thousand books.

The Dewey system enables the association to tell almost instantly the number of books in the library and has the great advantage of dividing the books into subjects or groups. The system separates the books into groups of fiction, science, biography, history, etc., and enables the librarian to assist intelligently anyone wishing information concerning any particular subject.

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Miss Faith Ives is spending the week with her sister Mrs. Fred Jewett in Ambloy.

Rev. and Mrs. Thomas London Jones of the Presbyterian church are spending their vacation at the home of her mother at Youngstown, Ohio.

Courtney Maronda, Misses Helen Eitlin, Harriet Rudolph and Ethel Manoude motored to Starved Rock Sunday and enjoyed a picnic dinner.

L. A. Trottnow and F. C. Gross are in Rockford today attending the funeral of Mr. Wilcox, a traveling salesman, who has sold groceries to M. Trottnow for past fourteen years.

Mr. Wilcox was here last Thursday and transacted business with Mr. Trottnow.

The Ives Drug Store is closed this afternoon that they might enjoy the druggists' picnic being held at Lowell park.

The Sunday school class of Miss Flora Wicker of the Methodist church will meet next Wednesday at her home for a scramble luncheon, at which time very important business will be transacted. It is hoped that every member of the class will be present.

One of the largest crowds that has been in Franklin Grove was here Saturday night to enjoy the splendid band concert that was put on by the Franklin Grove band. There were cars from various places in Iowa and several from Chicago. There will be another concert next Saturday night and it is expected with good weather that the crowd will be even larger than Saturday night.

Miss Gladys Graves who is taking a nurse's course in a college in Iowa is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Graves.

The Presbyterian church is receiving a real good cleaning today.

People are busy with mops and brooms and dust cloths and when the services begin in September, there will be a nice clean church.

There will be no services except Sunday school in this church until the first Sunday in September.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dierdorf entertained with dinner Sunday, Mrs. Mary Smith and daughter Miss Laura Smith of Coffeyville, Kas.; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gillespie, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gillespie and Miss Jennie Wolf of Erie, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Wolf of Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Holloway, and Claire Dierdorf of Dixon; Mrs. Mathe, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Dierdorf of this place.

Mrs. Ed Chadwick of Ashton is entertaining this afternoon, honoring Mrs. Grace McDermott of Spokane, Wash. Mrs. F. M. Banker of this place is an invited guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Yingling and son, Charles, of Rockford, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hartzell.

Mrs. Bratton of Rockford who was called to Dixon by the death of her brother-in-law, John MacPherson, is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Clyde Speck.

A card from Mr. and Mrs. LaFor-

rest Meredith says they are having a nice time in Wisconsin.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Herbst, Dallas and Scott Stultz motored to Mooseheart, Ind., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Belknap of Rockford were Sunday guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Brown.

Mrs. Will Crawford was a week end guest at the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Orner, at Wilmette. She reports that her nephew, Ralph Orner, is improving as well as could be expected from his severe attack of rheumatism.

The Aid Society of the Methodist church held a special meeting Monday afternoon at the church parlors, at which meeting they left an order for a new carpet for the church which will be laid early in September.

Owing to the Brethren Conference the swimming pool will be closed to the public from 3:30 to 5:30 Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. The public may use the pool from 1:00 to 3:30 and in the evening from 7:30 to 9:30. The manager, Rev. Warren Hutchinson, extends this privilege to the conference folks that they might enjoy the water sports alone during the hours from 3:30 to 5:30. This surely will meet the approval of all the users of the pool.

Misses Blanche Cowell and Eunice Miller are visiting this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Miller near Ashton.

From the Ashton Gazette, under the "Let Us Forget" column, date August 6, 1896, we find the following item which will be of interest to the older readers of this column: "In the absence of one of the temperance trustees at legality and Attorney V. H. Meyers of our village has been employed by the temperance element to investigate the same."

Mrs. Richard Sunday was a Rockville visitor Saturday.

Miss Fern Lett of Chicago is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Lett.

Frank Goetzberger was in Dixon today visiting his mother, who is the hospital, recovering from an operation. He informs us that his mother was able to be up a little yesterday and today.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Roe of Will-

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mette were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Hunt. Mrs. Anna Davis of Dixon is caring for Mrs. John Lahman, who is in poor health.

Miss Marion Buck went to Rockford Tuesday to visit a few days at the home of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark.

George Yingling and lady friend of Rockford was calling on Franklin friends yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark of Rockford were visitors Tuesday at the home of her mother, Mrs. Mary Buck. With Phillips and son, Clark, went to Milledgeville today to visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Phillips and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mitchell, of Eldena were visitors Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Phillips.

Mr. Langley of Chicago, representing the Anti-Saloon League, gave a splendid address in the Methodist church Sunday morning.

Moline Plow Co. Case is Again in Federal Court

Pecora, Ill., Aug. 9.—The Moline Plow company case was resumed in federal court here today. The plaintiffs, three former executives of the concern, claim that through an agreement they are entitled to 13 percent of the company's assets and to a large sum they allege the company owes them in back salaries. Although Judge Louis Fitzhenry signified he would allow a motion for the appointment of a receiver, the defendant and plaintiff counsel were considering a plan that the defendant furnish bond for the protection of the plaintiffs, pending an adjudication of the matter.

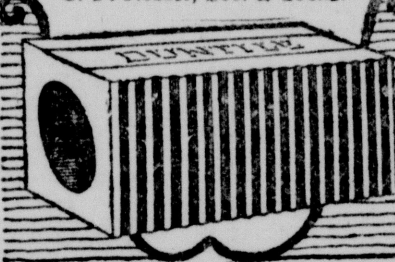
The company has properties in more than 32 states and in several foreign countries and represents about \$32,000,000 worth of securities and assets of approximately \$25,000,000. The matter of protection bond is planned to substitute the appointment of a receiver.

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ERADICATION OF ALFALFA PESTS IS UNDERTAKEN

University Experts in Advice to Farmers to Destroy Pests.

Urbana, Ill., Aug. 9.—Prompt steps to eradicate the fall web worm, and two species of cut worm, that infest alfalfa at this time of the year, will be necessary if farmers in infested regions are to save their crops, according to W. P. Flint, entomologist of the State Natural History survey at the college of agriculture, University of Illinois.

"Last year the web worms were largely responsible for ruining fine stands of alfalfa in many fields in the state and in some fields there were not enough plants left after a week or two to make the crop worth while," Mr. Flint said.

Cannibals recently discovered in New Guinea are reported by an explorer to have features of a distinctly Jewish type, although their skins are bronze.

WANTED—Anyone troubled with aching tired feet to try the best foot powder on the market, called Healo, Sterling's Drug Store.

What is to be the world's largest arch bridge, costing more than \$15,000,000, will be constructed across the harbor at Sydney, Australia.

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Thursday, August 14

2:17 Pace \$300.00
2:14 Trot \$300.00
2:24 Pace \$300.00
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Friday, August 15

2:20 Trot \$300.00
2:30 Trot \$300.00
2:08 Pace \$300.00
1/4 Mile Running Race \$75.00

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